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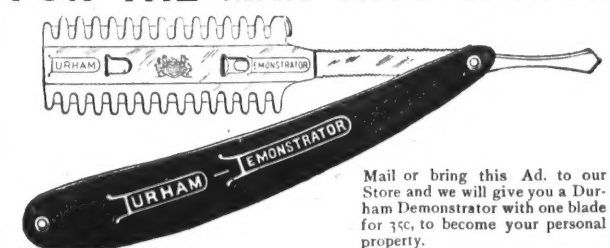
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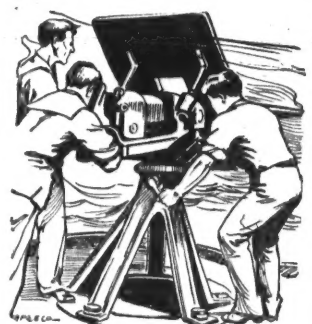
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Mrs. Charlotte Baker is ill at her home on Argilla Road.

John Murphy has left the employ of the Andover steam laundry.

Andover division, A. O. H., held a regular meeting on Monday evening.

Norman Smith of Oklahoma visited his home on Central street this week.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett H. Hayes on Sunday, March 10.

Mrs. M. E. Dalton and son Harry, spent Sunday visiting relatives in Salem.

Rev. Mr. Rollins of Charlestown will preach at Christ church next Sunday evening.

Miss Evelyn Coolidge of South Framingham spent Sunday with Miss Alice Coutts.

A poverty party and dance will be held in Pilgrim hall on Thursday evening, April 4.

Mrs. Russell Tree, formerly of this town, has been the guest of Mrs. Ella Main for a few days.

Alfred Lincoln of Charlestown has been spending the past week visiting relatives in Andover.

Mrs. Amy Briggs has been entertaining her sister, Miss Lydia A. Facey, of Portland, Me.

Tickets are selling well for the annual Knights of Columbus ball which is to be held on April 12.

Castle Gettysburg, K. O. K. A., of the South church held a very enjoyable social on Monday evening.

Mrs. Joseph W. Smith and Miss Mary B. Smith are spending a short time in Camden, South Carolina.

Mrs. Hearst of Hyde Park has been spending a week with her sister, Mrs. T. E. Rhodes of Chestnut street.

The Woman's club of the Grange was entertained yesterday by Mrs. Fred A. Swanton at the town farm.

Miss Gertrude Randall of Bridgewater Normal School is enjoying a vacation at her home on Elm street.

A leap year party will be held in A. O. U. W. hall tomorrow evening under the auspices of several local young ladies.

A large number of Andover people attended the Colonial theatre on Monday evening and witnessed the performance of "Baby Mine."

Miss Alice Gray of Washington avenue returned the first part of the week from Ipswich where she had been spending a fortnight.

The last in the series of tournaments between the Andover and No. Andover clubs will take place on next Thursday evening in North Andover.

Contractor E. W. Pitman of this town is building an addition onto the paper mill machinery factory of the J. H. Horne & Sons Co., in Lawrence.

Daniel Davis of this town appeared before Trial Justice Stone this week charged with disturbance. The case was placed on file pending good behavior.

George A. Carter of Wolcott avenue has purchased the bakery route which has been run by Gordon Whitman, selling the products of the Mitchell bakery, Elm street.

Ballard Holt of this town observed his seventy-fifth birthday on Wednesday. The day was remembered by his friends in various ways, so that the anniversary was a very pleasant one.

A regular meeting of Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge was held on Monday evening. After the business session a donkey party was held, in which E. R. Eastman won first prize and Miss Jennie Thompson secured the booby prize.

Mrs. Sarah Ward of Lowell street, Frye Village, attained her seventy-ninth birthday last Saturday, and observed the occasion in a fitting way. During the day many of her friends called upon her, and she was the recipient of many flowers and other remembrances.

During the Greater Lent which begins next week, there will be service in the chapel of Christ church at five o'clock daily, except on Wednesday, when the service will be in the church at 7.45 o'clock. At the five o'clock service there will be an address by the rector each day except Monday and Saturday.

At the meeting of the South church Men's club last Friday evening, Rev. Clark Carter described experiences before the Congressional committee at the hearing on the Lawrence strike situation held at Washington. Mr. Carter was one of the witnesses at the hearing. During the evening the Phillips Academy quartet sang very acceptably.

All interested are invited to attend the talk on old blue Staffordshire plates to be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. P. Butterfield, 20 School street. The meeting will be under the auspices of the Andover Historical society. Tickets, at 25 cents each, can be obtained from John V. Holt, Dr. C. E. Abbott or Miss Agnes Park.

The cases of the five Reading young men arrested some time ago for breaking and entering summer camps at Foster's pond, came up again in the police court last week. Some of the offenders paid their fines and the others were given two months in which to settle, with the promise that when settlement was made the cases would be discharged.

Mrs. Anna Woodbridge is seriously ill at her home on Essex street.

Judge and Mrs. C. U. Bell are spending two weeks at Atlantic City.

Miss Mildred Chutter is confined to her home on Locke street by illness.

A daughter was born March 14th to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Carter of Carter's Corner.

Mrs. John L. Abbott of Central street is recovering from an illness of some duration.

The State Lecturer will be present at the meeting of the Grange to be held next Tuesday evening.

Miss Margaret Cole will hold the closing assembly of her dancing classes on Saturday, March 30.

Vaughan Jealous and George Simpson of the American Woolen Company are in England on business.

The condition of Miss Mary Brown, who is seriously ill at her home on Morton street remains unchanged.

A big electric sign with the words "Tyrian Tires" has been placed on the front of the Tyer Rubber Co.'s factory.

Mrs. Emily M. Morse of Morton street is recovering from an accident which has confined her to the house for some time.

An entertainment and dance will be held in Abbott Village hall this evening under the auspices of the Indian Ridge Mothers' club.

Misses Catherine and Elizabeth Leach entertained several of their Abbot Academy friends at a party held on Tuesday evening.

The annual convention of the Essex County Christian Endeavor society will be held on April 19, with the Trinitarian church in North Andover. As usual, many delegates from Andover will attend.

The usual monthly social of the Seamen's Friend society of the West church will be held on Friday evening, March 29. The supper will be in charge of Mrs. William Corliss, Mrs. Austin Huggins and Mrs. George Ward.

At a meeting of the executive committee and the committee of one hundred of the Men and Religion Forward Movement held this week in Lawrence, plans were discussed for the formation of an inter-church union to consist of the churches of Andover, North Andover, Methuen and Lawrence.

Andover people will wish success to the project on foot in South Lawrence for the repaving of South Broadway from Canal street to Phillips Hill. This portion of the road between here and Lawrence has been in very bad condition for some time and a change in it would be much appreciated.

George B. Clark, a former resident of Andover and a member of the local G. A. R. post, died on Wednesday of this week in Somerville. He was a half-brother of Mrs. Walter Donald of this town. Funeral services are being held in Somerville this afternoon, and the body will be brought to Andover for burial tomorrow.

The last in the series of Chadwick Club concerts in Lawrence will take place next Wednesday evening when the entertainment will be furnished by the Stephen Townsend quartet, consisting of Grace Bonner Williams, soprano; Bertha Cushing Child, alto; Clarence Shirley, tenor, and Stephen Townsend, bass. It is expected that the evening will be one of rare pleasure for music lovers.

An appreciative audience at the Archaeology building listened, Wednesday evening to a lecture on "The Songs of the Cowboys," given by Prof. John A. Lomax of Texas University. Prof. Lomax said that owing to the loneliness of their lives, the cowboys compose songs of their own for all occasions and circumstances. He illustrated his remarks by reading excerpts from many of the different songs.

The store and workshop of Dane & Manning on Park street is being remodeled.

A meeting of the Andover Christian Endeavor Union will be held next Tuesday evening with the Ballardvale society.

The second degree will be worked by Andover lodge, I. O. O. F., Wednesday evening on candidates from Methuen, Haverhill and North Andover.

A meeting of the Sunday School club of the Free church will be held next Friday evening, March 29, at the home of Miss Louisa Eaton, Bartlett street.

Mrs. Harlan Glazier of this town spoke on Thursday afternoon before the Women's Union of the South church on "Experiences in the Tennessee Mountains."

An interesting lecture is anticipated next Monday evening when Rev. S. C. Bushnell will speak before the Public School Teachers' association on "The Building of the Monitor."

Professor Charles H. Forbes delivered the address before the class of 1912 of the Lawrence Evening High School which held its graduation exercises on Thursday evening.

Rev. F. A. Wilson will exchange pulpits next Sunday morning with Rev. George Edward Martin, D.D., of Lexington. Dr. Martin will speak at Abbot Academy on Saturday evening.

At the Guild on Saturday night there will be two basketball games. The Lincoln Athletic association and the Franklin High School of Franklin will play the two Young Men's teams.

An adjourned meeting of the Seminary church was held on Wednesday evening, at which a discussion as to the future of the church took place. In view of the fact that Phillips Academy is planning to have a school church of its own, the question had been raised as to the advisability of continuing the Seminary church longer. It was voted, however, to continue the present arrangement until the Academy takes definite action.

### Death of Henry McLawlin

Henry McLawlin, a well-known former resident of the town, died this morning at 8 o'clock at his home in Woodford, Me. He was aged 80 years and 4 days.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock. Members of Andover lodge, I. O. O. F., are requested to report at the hall by one o'clock to attend in a body. The funeral will be held at the home of Mrs. C. L. Carter, School street.

### Punchard Alumni Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Punchard School Alumni association will be held on Monday evening, April 8, in Punchard hall. According to the usual custom, supper will be served. This will be followed by an enjoyable entertainment. Every former pupil is urgently requested to be present.

### Andover Club "Stag" Party

About fifty members of the Andover club enjoyed a whist party in the club rooms on last Saturday evening. Progressive whist started at 8.30 and was played until 10.15, when the winners were awarded prizes. Lewis T. Hardy and Charles Flanders were tied for first honors. Mr. Hardy was presented with a handsome morocco cardcase and a pack of excellent cards. Mr. Flanders received a fine bronze cigar holder and ash tray. The booby prizes were won by Edward King and Henry Hilton.

The committee in charge had a plentiful supply of pipes and tobacco on hand, and those who love the weed enjoyed its fragrance while whist was being played. Refreshments consisting of a German lunch were served, and an excellent Victrola owned and operated by Charles M. Riddoch furnished music.

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## SPORTS OF THE WEEK

## ANDOVER CLUB LEAGUE

## Team D Wins Four

Teams C and D of the Andover Club league had their final meeting of the season on last Friday evening, Team D winning the match and the championship of the series. The cups offered by the proprietors of the Essex Street bowling alleys also came into the possession of this team, as with the winning of the four points it makes it impossible for Team C to win out. The best bowling of the evening was done by Lincoln who had a single string of 98 and a total of 278. The summary:

TEAM D				
Clark	85	86	78	249
Riddoch	83	90	92	265
Lincoln	86	94	98	278
Angus	86	76	73	235
Cole	85	89	80	254

Total 425 435 421 1281

TEAM C				
Flanders	82	83	83	248
Dane	69	70	76	215
Chadwick	87	92	80	259
Coutts	71	82	91	244
Ryley	82	96	85	263

Total 391 423 415 1229

## Team C Wins Four Points

Teams C and A of the Andover club league played their final game on Tuesday evening, the former winning all four points. Ryley was high roller, with a single of 105 and a total of 283. Dane also bowled well, having a total of 276. The summary:

TEAM C				
MacDonald	65	80	82	227
Dane	91	87	98	276
Chadwick	83	80	86	249
Coutts	80	80	61	230
Ryley	90	105	88	283

Total 409 441 415 1265

TEAM A				
Warden	70	69	82	221
Whitten	67	88	76	231
King	76	85	82	243
Brown	72	81	80	233
Roggemann	83	95	72	250

Total 368 418 392 1178

## HILLSIDE ALLEY NOTES

## Flax Team Defeated

The New Mill defeated the Flax Department in their league game recently by a total pinfall of 1269 to 1197 at the Hillside alleys, capturing all four points. E. Anderson of the New Mill was high roller getting 99 in single string, and 281 in three string total. Jamieson was second, getting 96 in single string, and 273 in three string total. The summary:

NEW MILL				
Jamieson	96	93	84	273
E. Anderson	98	84	99	281
Guthrie	64	78	77	219
Nicoll	84	83	88	255
Mears	81	78	82	241

Totals 423 416 430 1269

FLAX DEPARTMENT				
McDonald	85	94	88	267
McKenzie	83	75	75	233
McDermitt	76	87	83	246
Frazer	77	69	77	223
Haddon	81	69	78	228

Totals 402 394 401 1197

## Flax Department and Old Mill Draw

The Flax Department and the Old Mill team played one of the best games since the forming of the league on Tuesday at the Hillside alleys, splitting the points even. McDonald and Haddon of the Flax Department were tied for the highest three string total of 277, the former getting 100 for single string, and the latter 100. Lamont, of the Old Mill team, was second making 100 in single string and 276 for three string total.

## The summary:

## FLAX DEPARTMENT

McDonald	81	96	100	277
McKenzie	77	93	102	272
McDermitt	72	83	87	242
Nicoll	83	74	86	243
Haddon	89	109	79	277

Totals 402 455 454 1311

## OLD MILL

A. Anderson	99	75	89	263
Lamont	80	100	96	276
Coutts	75	86	87	248
Carnathan	87	100	84	271
Jarvis	93	88	86	267

Totals 434 449 442 1325

## Village Team Wins

The Village team defeated William Haddon's team last Saturday at the Majestic alleys, Lawrence, by a total pinfall of 1279 to 1219. Matthews of Haddon's team was high roller, getting 96 in single string and 278 in three string total. E. Anderson was second with 101 for single string and 267 for three string total. Quite a crowd of rooters from the village were present for both teams.

## The summary:

VILLAGE TEAM				
Hyde	75	82	87	244
Hilton	72	77	101	250
Fettis	82	87	85	254
A. Anderson	95	93	76	264
E. Anderson	82	84	101	267

Totals 406 423 450 1279

## HADDON'S TEAM

McDonald	81	83	81	245
McKenzie	74	99	79	252
Frazer	70	72	70	212
Haddon	73	77	82	232
Matthews	96	92	90	278

Totals 394 423 402 1219

## New Mill Wins

NEW MILL				
Jamieson	77	92	79	248
McCrory	93	97	87	277
McCarthy	83	88	78	250
Mears	78	89	91	258
Guthrie	81	85	88	254

Total 412 451 424 1287

## OFFICE TEAM

Bradford	75	96	83	254
Sellers	75	76	86	237
Bodwell	80	81	85	246
Russell	73	72	85	230
Matthews	100	82	91	273

Total 412 407 430 1249

## Four Points for Ross's Team

In the duck pin match between Ross's and Warden's teams on Monday evening, the former team won four points with totals of 1301 and 1175. The score made by the winners was one of the largest of the season and was the result of some very clever bowling. The highest individual score was made by Captain Ross who had singles of 103 and 104 and a total of 293. The summary:

ROSS'S TEAM				
Russell	77	80	82	239
Rogers	78	78	81	237
Matthews	82	89	107	278
Smith	81	90	83	254
Ross	86	103	104	293

Total 404 440 457 1301

## WARDEN'S TEAM

Hatch	78	70	77	225
Moore	74	65	69	208
McKenzie	80	83	95	258
Dummy	77	78	81	236
Spark	71	93	84	248

Total 380 389 406 1175

## Football Club Plans

The monthly meeting of the Andover United Football club was held in Abbott village hall on Monday. In the absence of President Gordon, the vice-president, Alexander Soutar, occupied the chair. The various committees reported good progress in their undertakings; the treasurer's report showed the club in good financial standing; the delegates' report of the Lawrence, Lowell and District league was read and showed that the deferred final tie between Manchester United and Lawrence will take place on Andover United grounds, Saturday, the 23rd inst. Much interest is being shown in this game and a large crowd is expected. The Manchester people are running a special train for their rooters. Game called for 3 o'clock. Mr. George Lambie of Belmont, of the Boston and District league, will referee the game. Admission, 10 cents.

The following will represent their teams:

LAWRENCE		MANCHESTER	
F. Hague, g.		g. F. Hatton	
J. Turton, rb.		rb. T. Cunliffe	
F. Butler, lb.		lb. F. McKeown	
C. Adams, rbb.		rbb. H. Roberts	
T. Dakers, chb.		chb. H. Davidson	
L. Gilchrist, lhb.		lhb. D. Murray	
J. Clarke, rif.		rif. J. McKeown	
J. Elliot, cf.		cf. W. Murray	
D. Roberts, lif.		lif. W. Murray	
A. Black, lof.		lof. W. Hartley	

## Guild First Team Won

The first basketball team of the Guild defeated the second team by the score of 20 to 12 in an interesting game played in the Guild gymnasium last Saturday evening. Good basketball was played on both sides and the points were sharply contested.

The summary:

GUILD FIRST		GUILD SECOND	
Berry, rf.		lg. E. Collins	
		lg. Bingham	
		rg. O'Connell	
Lynch, lf.		c. Dea	
Black, c.		lf. Welch	
Deyermund, rg.		rf. G. Collins	

Score—Guild 1st, 20, 2nd, 12. Goals from floor, Black 2, Welch 2. Hastings, Berry 6, Lynch 2, E. Collins 2, Dea 1. Goals from fouls, G. Collins 1, Welch 1, E. Collins 1. Referee, Wilson. Timekeeper, Guillo. Length of periods, 2 20 min. halves.

## ABBOTT VILLAGE

Mrs. Walter Morris of Cambridge spent the week-end visiting William Haddon, Essex street.

Mrs. James Ramsey of Ludlow spent a few days in the village recently, renewing old acquaintances.

Mrs. Peter Hughes of Pawtucket, R. I., spent the week-end visiting at the home of George Buss, Shawshen road.

The four weeks old son of George Faulkner of the village died on Saturday, March 16, and was buried in Spring Grove cemetery Monday.

Patrick McDonald of Bakers' lane has severed his connection with the Marland Mill and is now working for the town.

John Connors of Marland village has entered the employ of Marland Mill.

Alexander Auchterlonie of Brechin terrace has accepted a position in the Tye Rubber Co.

Miss Amanda Murphy of Lewis street spent the week end visiting friends in Newburyport.

The Village team will meet a strong team of Fitchburg bowlers in a game of candle pins on Saturday, March 23, on the Majestic alleys, Lawrence. Village rooters will take the 7.30 train. The match will start at 8 p.m.

Quite a number of the village Hibernians attended the parade in Boston, Monday, March 18.

Miss Lizzie Blair of Whitinsville spent the week end visiting Miss Susan Ross of Essex street.

## UNCLE SAM BRINGS SUIT

## Big Concern Charged With Violation of Contract Labor Laws

Boston, March 21.—The Dwight Manufacturing company of Boston has been charged by the government with bringing Greeks illegally into this country to work in the company's cotton mills at Chicopee and at Alabama City, Ala.

United States District Attorney French has attached the company's property for \$250,000 and is seeking to recover \$97,000 in penalties. The charge is violation of the alien contract labor laws.

The government charges the company with paying the transportation from Turkey to New York of ninety-seven Greek men, women and children for the purpose of inducing them to work in the company's mills.

It is said that heads of families were induced to sign notes on their arrival to cover the expenses of the trip. Payment was made, it is said, by deducting a small amount from the weekly wage of the worker.

## HAN SH IS INDICTED

## High Priest of Sun Cult Falls Into the Net of a Detective

Chicago, March 21.—"Rev." Dr. Ottoman Zar-Adusht Hanish, high priest of the Sun cult, with a \$100,000 temple at Lake Park avenue and fifty other temples scattered over the civilized world, has been indicted by the federal grand jury on two charges.

One indictment accuses the "little master" of violating the interstate commerce act by shipping the "Green Book" of "Inner Studies" to "Miss Julia B. Gardner" at Brookfield, Mo. The indictment is based on the section which prohibits the interstate shipment of improper matter. "Miss Gardner" was a detective.

Should Hanish be convicted he could be sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary and given a large fine besides.

## RICH WOMAN COULD NOT STAND DISGRACE

## Hangs Herself After Being Arrested For Smuggling

New York, March 21.—Mrs. Edwin Carson, wealthy widow of a prominent San Francisco physician, who confessed to smuggling into this port gems worth \$20,000, committed suicide by hanging herself from the window of her room in the eighth floor of the Hotel Brocton.

Before her suicide she wrote a letter to her brother, Paul R. Mabury, a banker of Los Angeles, saying: "I could not stand the disgrace of my arrest. I had to work out my own salvation and I know of no other course. Please forget about it."

Passersby in Fifth avenue saw the woman's body dangling from the end of the rope and notified the hotel management.

Mrs. Carson reached here Monday on the steamship George Washington. After her arrest she was released on \$2000 bail until Friday.

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## A HOLIDAY IN HONOR OF TAFT

Enthusiastic Greeting to President in New Hampshire

### GREAT CROWDS IN STREETS

Chief Executive Pays Respects to Roosevelt in Speeches at Nashua, Manchester and Concord—Expresses Delight at Reception Accorded Him During Visit to New England—Meets Bass, but Dodges Politics

Boston, March 20.—President Taft was given a tremendous ovation yesterday on his visit to the three largest cities in New Hampshire. A holiday was declared in Nashua, Manchester and Concord.

The great mills of the cities were closed down and the streets were thronged with people who came from miles around the country to see the President of the United States. The militia volunteered to come out in full strength to greet the president.

The most remarkable feature of the day was the greeting given to the president by thousands of school children. On the main street of the city of Manchester 12,000 children waved flags and cheered Mr. Taft.

When the president left this city on the federal express last night, after making a speech before the banquet of the New England Street Railway employees, he expressed himself as delighted with the reception given to him in Massachusetts and New Hampshire. He issued this statement:

"I am deeply grateful to the people of Massachusetts and New Hampshire for the warmth of their reception and gratified by the interest displayed in the discussion of questions of constitutional government, and with the interest shown by the people to maintain our constitutional form of government."

The most significant incident of the day from a political standpoint was the declaration made in Concord by Nahum J. Bacheelder that he would support the president for a renomination. Bacheelder is president of the grange in New Hampshire and led the fight made by the farmers against the reciprocity program.

Governor Bass, who is one of the nine governors who declared for Mr. Roosevelt, met the president in Concord and held a reception to him in the state house. Great interest was manifested in the meeting of the two men.

There was no reference made by either to the campaign, but with Bass by his side standing on the front steps of the state house the president tore to pieces the policy of the recall of judicial decisions sponsored by his opponent.

While he did not use the name of Roosevelt, he referred to him in a manner which left no doubt whom he intended to hit, and the crowd applauded the references and applauded vigorously the points scored by the president.

In this speech the president said: "All I am going to ask for the administration is that you give it a square deal."

In all of his speeches the president hammered away at Roosevelt. Several times he deviated to describe the reforms accomplished during his administration in office, and as he made point after point he asked his audience whether or not they considered him to be a progressive, judged on his record.

The political situation in New Hampshire so far as the choice of delegates is concerned is similar to that in Massachusetts. The old line Republicans are practically all of them on the line for the renomination of President Taft.

Many of the progressive Republicans in New Hampshire who supported Bass in his fight for governor have left him in the present contest and are standing with Taft. Among the number are men like President Tucker of Dartmouth college, Professor Dixon of Dartmouth, John M. Gile and Rosecrans W. Pillsbury.

Although the Taft supporters express great confidence in capturing the eight delegates to the national convention it cannot be denied but that in the northern part of the state, among the farmers, there is considerable Roosevelt sentiment.

### NO VOTES FOR WOMEN

Suffrage Bills Are Defeated in Senates of Two States

Albany, March 20.—The senate decided, by a vote of 24 to 17, to strike out the enacting clause of the Stillwell woman suffrage bill. This kills the measure.

Trenton, N. J., March 20.—A resolution providing for women's suffrage in New Jersey was defeated in the senate by a vote of 17 to 3.

**Murderer Pays Death Penalty**  
Dannemora, N. Y., March 21.—Salvatore Caruso, leader of a gang of highwaymen who held up and murdered Denton Fowler and George Ragsdale near Hudson on Sept. 3, 1910, was electrocuted at Clinton prison.

## CLEANINGS ON BEACON HILL

Cushing Proves a Success as Speaker of House

### FOOD AND CLOTHING BILL

Progressive Measure Which Aims to Aid Needy Children—Burial of Liquor Propositions—Crane Turns About on Bachelor Tax Question—Prominent Measures Waiting on House Calendar for Action

Speaker Cushing now predicts that prorogation may be expected by the latter part of May. If so, it will be the shortest session since 1905, when Louis Frothingham was speaker. Cushing has shown the best technical control of any speaker in recent years. His committees have proved to be first class machinery. And a wholesome disposition has been shown to keep down the size of the Blue Book as well as the length of the session.

Cushing's friends have urged him to run for delegate at large, but the speaker wisely replied that he could not take time away from the legislature.

#### Food and Clothing

Senator Mack has been hustling for his bill to provide food and clothing for the needy school children as if he expected to see the bill enacted. It has been three weeks on the senate table, and is due to come off just as soon as the senate looks a wee bit more sympathetic.

The Mack bill has nothing against it except that those who don't want to vote for it say that a precedent is opened for socialist legislation. But the measure is permissible merely. It gives the city or town the right to raise money to assist with gifts of food and clothing to those school children whose parents make the claim that they are unable to provide for them.

#### Liquor Measures Rejected

Most of the petitions for liquor legislation are being summarily dealt with this year. This is true, regardless of what side they come from. The proposed repeal of the bar and bottle act has hardly caused a ripple this year. Last year it was the sensational petition of the legislature.

It is buried with the so-called daylight bill which would limit saloon hours from 6 a. m. to 6 p. m. These two measures represent the extreme of each side of the liquor controversy.

One positive thing the liquor committee has done is to report a measure penalizing the act of a minor who obtains liquor by telling a falsehood.

**Mystifying and Unsatisfactory**  
The position which Chairman Russell Crane of the committee on taxation has taken upon the bachelor tax is mystifying and unsatisfactory to Mrs. Charlotte Smith, the greatest living advocate of bachelor taxation.

Last year Mr. Crane solemnly and publicly assured Mrs. Smith that he would vote for her bill. This year he is in charge of an adverse committee report against the bill. Crane is a bachelor himself, and it may be that not until recently did he appreciate how serious the danger from the bill was going to be.

#### Measures Waiting

Waiting for action on the house calendar are a number of matters that have figured prominently in state house discussions. The initiative and referendum is one, with an adverse report from the committee on constitutional amendments. The committee reported against it soon after Colonel Roosevelt spoke in favor of it. The report will likely be accepted, since it would take a two-thirds majority to pass an initiative and referendum amendment.

Another adverse report is from election laws upon an old friend, the public opinion bill, which provides for the submission of questions of public policy to the voters. There are no dissenting Republicans, and there will be a great battle to keep the bill from going to the senate.

The peaceful persuasion and picketing bills are on the calendar with an adverse report from judiciary. The Lawrence strike took the kick all out of them, because it was found that there is ample law to permit picketing.

#### No Longer Terms

Russell Wood's bill to extend the terms of state officials died without one peep. It came of the experience which Colonel Wood gained last fall in his campaign for nomination for state treasurer. One year did not look long enough for the trouble and expense it takes. And Colonel Wood was willing in the fullness of his heart to give Colonel Langtry, his successful rival, more time. It seems too progressive to the house, though.

#### Infant Blindness

A highly meritorious measure on infant blindness is soon to go to Governor Foss, who will promptly sign it. Under the act, a report must be made by the attending physician within 48 hours after birth, and the report must state the condition of the eyes. Since it has been known that a large percentage of adult blindness

could have been prevented by the timely treatment of new born children, laws like this have been generally enacted.

#### Barber's Bill Dead

The bill to place barbers under state supervision has been turned down again, but Captain Flower of Greenfield, Representative Cuff of Lowell and Hall of Pittsfield are trying to save the measure.

It will not go through this year, but some year it will go through if somebody proves that board of health inspected shops are not sanitary.

#### Cat and Dog Bills

One of the curious inconsistencies is the killing of the bill to license cats, which are wholesale bird destroyers, and the advancement of a bill to protect birds from dogs. Few people realize the value of the cat bill. It meant only the merciful destruction of thousands of stray animals that prey on insect eating birds. This year it was backed by the Hunters' association.

#### The Railroad Board

The eight dissenters to the bill increasing the powers of the board of railroad commissioners make the ultimate success of that measure sufficiently doubtful. The increase of power means the power to compel the railroads to obey the decrees of the commission. Up to this time, no railroad has ever refused to obey. Both Senate Chairman Schoonmaker and House Chairman Ellis are opposing the bill, as well as Bean of Cambridge and Bageley of Uxbridge on the committee on railroads, and Conwell of Somerville and Saltonstall of Beverly on the committee on ways and means.

It is "Bob" Washburn's bill, and he is rehearsing a new speech for it.

#### Public Service List

Salaries, civil service laws, pensions and promotions pack the files of the committee on public service, which is the only one in the legislature which has not started in dead earnest to unload its stuff. There is at least one good reason why the public service matters can wait. They affect the political plans of so many men in the legislature that no member of the committee, as he values his friends, can afford to take a position against salary increases or against pensions early in the session, nor could any sane man support all these things.

When the dumping time comes in public service, it is usually a terrific spectacle.

#### Bennett's Patience

Senator Frank Bennett is a patient man, but his patience was sorely tried in the struggle over the presidential primary bill, against which he led the opposition on the floor of the senate.

It was Senator Chace of Dighton who upset all the plans of the machine leaders with his unexpected vote for the bill. For several days, Chace and Bennett did not speak. But the other day, the senator from Saugus went up to the senator from Dighton and said in an embarrassed kind of way:

"Mr. Bennett, I hope you don't cherish any hard feeling over my vote."

#### And Bennett replied:

"Mr. Chace, I won't be in a safe frame of mind to discuss this with you until ten years have elapsed."

#### It was quite a strain.

#### Taft and Roosevelt

Nomination papers have been in circulation for several days, but it will take a lot of hustling to be sure of enough valid signatures for filing on March 30. Enthusiasm over the president's visit this week has increased the confidence of the Taft men that he will easily sweep Massachusetts, but the hopes of the progressives are unlimited. Events of the next three weeks are going to settle, for some time to come, what the political situation in Massachusetts is to be.

#### As To Russia

Perplexity as to what our attitude towards Russia should be, is the result of a discussion at the Boston City club, between Morgan Shuster and Joseph A. Conry. Mr. Shuster is the ex-minister of finance at the court of Persia, and Mr. Conry is a member of the port board and representative of the Russian government in Boston.

The trouble was that these two gentlemen did not get upon common ground. Mr. Shuster gave an exact impression of his idea of Russia, gained by experience in Persia, and Mr. Conry said that Russia had been our friend during the war with the rebellion. It was not a close discussion.

#### Notifying Lawyers

There is on the senate table, in charge of Judge Mulligan, an engrossed bill, providing that notice shall be sent to attorneys of record that their cases are on the trial list.

Since the fever of economy struck in hard, there has been more real trouble by reason of lack of notification than one could dream of. Hundreds of cases have been defaulted, and the claims of litigants unjustly prejudiced. The cost of notifying an attorney is one cent, and trying to save that cent is false economy.

#### Two Men Fatally Burned

Buffalo, March 18.—Two men were fatally burned and five others seriously injured in a fire in the plant of the Buffalo Weaving and Belting company, due to an explosion of naphtha.

#### Eva Booth Is Ill

Louisville, March 18.—Miss Eva Booth, commander of the Slavation Army in America, in a state bordering on collapse, is resting here.

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Essex, ss.

### PROBATE COURT

To all persons interested in the estate of John Smith late of Andover in said County, gentleman, deceased:

Whereas J. Duke Smith the trustee under the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the second and final account of his trust under said will for the benefit of the inhabitants of the Frye Village School District in Andover.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem in said County, on the first day of April, A. D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said trustee is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

ARTHUR BOGUE, Register.

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Essex, ss.

### PROBATE COURT

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ann Moore, sometimes known as Annie Moore, late of Andover, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Nellie V. Hickey of Lawrence, in the County of Essex, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the first day of April, A. D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

ARTHUR BOGUE, Register.

MICHAEL F. CROKIN, Attorney.

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Essex, ss.

### PROBATE COURT

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mabel R. Eaton late of Andover, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for probate, by Daniel B. Ruggles who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the fifteenth day of April, A. D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

ARTHUR BOGUE, Register.

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Essex, ss.

### PROBATE COURT

To Andover Savings Bank, Lucy Freeman (Col.), Lizzie Coon, Anna L. Batesman, Mary Carney, Sarah H. Woodman, Catherine M. Driscoll, Increase H. Chandler, William H. Howe and to all other persons interested in certain sums of money deposited in the Andover Savings Bank located at Andover, in said County, to the credits of the persons above named, in the amounts set forth in the hereinafter described petition:

Whereas, James M. Swift, Attorney-General for said Commonwealth, has presented to said Court his petition representing that for more than thirty years previous to the date of said petition no deposit has been made on any of the said accounts, nor has any part of the principal or interest of any of the said accounts been withdrawn, and no interest has been added upon any of the passbooks; that said deposits have remained during said period unclaimed, nor is any claimant known, and that the depositors of said accounts cannot be found, and praying that this Court, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 590 of the Acts of the year 1908, order and decree that said sums of money, with the increase and proceeds thereof, be paid to the Treasurer and Receiver-General of said Commonwealth.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the first day of April, A. D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to the said Andover Savings Bank fourteen days, at least, before said Court, and by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

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### Charge Bad Faith to Pinchot

Ho! watchman, up with the drawbridge. Set all the defenses, prepare to repulse the enemy! The purest of the pure is charged with bad faith!

A current newspaper article insists that the misunderstanding between President Taft and his predecessor is due to a distortion of facts by the noblest martyr of them all, Mr. Gifford Pinchot. The whole world of pure, undefiled reform is up in arms at this base calumny. We don't know how much truth there may be back of this charge, but from a long acquaintance

With reformers, big and little,  
With purists, great and small,  
With all the greater "holiers,"  
We distrust them, one and all;

and it is easy to believe that the deposed head of the Forestry Department, enlisted in public service because he hadn't anything else to do, may have done what most of his associates will do when given the opportunity.

Some day, men who are practical, active forces in the conduct of affairs throughout the country will come to a realization that the doctrine under which so much political activity has come into force during the last few years, that the "snob can do no harm," is a doubtful foundation for business and political prosperity to be built upon. No incident comes to notice, whether it be related to industrial disturbances, or to a political upheaval, or to a business problem in which the first man on the scene, closely followed by the second woman on the scene, is not interested in some form or another of "social uplift" and "improved conditions." He or she, or both of them, because of the fact that they are living upon the income derived either from the early sale of New England rum or the early importation of African slaves or some other moral business in which the families 'way back were engaged, feel that they have a divine right to call to account every man engaged in modern business, and to assail under the broadest license every industrial activity that is a success at the present time.

The very word "success" is sufficient reason, provided it is built on real constructive work, why every interest associated with the success is open to censure, and demands reforming. Lawrence has just passed through one of these crises; the entire world is unsettled and disturbed by all forms of misunderstanding between various active forces in the life of the different states and nations; no one force is more responsible for this upheaval and for the continued stirring up of it, than these very snobs, and reformers, and uplifters who are secure in their own incomes through inherited wealth, and being thus secure, assail all other forms not associated with their own property.

It is a serious situation that demands such an arraignment as this, but it is a situation noted by every fair observer, and impossible to understand by those who give it the most thought. If there is to be any adjustment of differences between the clashing forces, that will have a permanent foundation, no one class must needs be driven out of its position of influence more quickly than this class referred to. The balance of industrial and political life in every country in the world has never been vested in these rich idlers and meddlers, but has always been vested in the big middle class who must be the connecting link between the wealthy employer and the industrial laborer.

It is easy to believe that Mr. Pinchot has shown bad faith, particularly for any man who has dealt with his type who are taking such an active part in public affairs at the present time. No class of people in public life hold the truth less sacred, believe that they possess so much of the divine right to lie, to misrepresent, to deceive, and to mislead, as do these very people, who apparently justify whatever they may do on the theory so boldly advocated by their great American leader, who stands upon the platform, "Whatever I say is right, because it is I who say it."

### Answering a Thirst

The writer went to the moving picture show the other night; the first time he has ever been in the town of

Andover, where we have had "Wonderland" for several years. At first thought this would hardly seem to be a proper subject for editorial comment, and yet, why not? It is not difficult to take any particular line in which one is interested, and insist that by it the life of a community may be judged, and if this is so of practically any activity, it must be peculiarly so when associated with the pleasures of a people.

Andover's little moving picture show provides accommodations for somewhere around a hundred people, gives two or three performances daily, changes its program three times a week, and insists that nothing is presented that could offend the most fastidious taste. If one could judge by the program of Wednesday night, this is true, and if one can judge by the quiet interest with which the story of Cinderella was received by the full house, one cannot help being satisfied that it is a sort of pleasure that cannot harm a community, but on the contrary must feed the unsatiated demand for entertainment possessed by the people of the present day, with a kind of food that will in the main do them good.

If one were to take the very best view of the entire question of present day social life from the old-fashioned standpoint, he wouldn't approve any of the evening pastimes that take the boy and the girl away from the home fireside, but unfortunately not only the views, but the firesides are out of date at the present time. Neither figures any longer in the social problem of many communities, and as the boy and the girl cannot be kept at home at night, it is well that there can be some wholesome entertainment provided at a popular price with proper safeguards, such as this.

We cannot help feeling that there is much more good than harm in such picture shows as we have at Andover, just as long as we must have anything of the sort to entertain the mass of people to whom the old-fashioned sort of entertainments seem to be no longer attractive.

### Editorial Cinders

The moth lecture on Tuesday evening was somewhat disappointing to those who attended, in that there seemed to be a lack of practical suggestion made that was of help to the average tree-owner in doing his own share of the work of fighting the moths. This is one of the great troubles with most of the technical lectures that are apt to be put before the people on live questions. It appeared to those present, that if there can be no more hopeful promise for results than those suggested by this agent of Uncle Sam, the problem is still up to the individual. In this connection may we suggest to those doing the work of clipping, that every nest overlooked is a broken link in the work which weakens the whole chain.

The condition of the Essex street highway is a daily reminder to many of the Andover public of what is found in practically every section of the town, and the unfortunate problem is how to overcome such a condition of affairs. The hopelessness of the task has seemed to impress more people than has the possible way of remedying the situation. From one end of the town to the other there is a demand that something shall be done and it is not at all surprising to be told that Supt. Smith is already wondering just where he shall begin first in the work.

The announcement is made that H. Bradford Lewis will be a candidate for delegate to the Republican National Convention from this congressional district. Mr. Lewis was an alternate four years ago and the promotion is not only most fitting, but the selection would assure the representation of the district by a loyal Republican, an earnest Taft advocate, and a prominent business man. Andover will highly appreciate the honor.

The spelling school was as big a success as ever, and a much more enjoyable affair than ever from the spectator's standpoint. This was due to the better arrangements which removed most of the confusion. The winners are pretty sure to be more or less of the "prodigy," but an immense amount of good cannot help coming to the hundreds who don't win, but who "try."

### Of Local Interest

The following of local interest, is taken from the Waterbury (Conn.) American of March 18:

"For the benefit of the Visiting Nurses' association and the Anti-Tuberculosis league, an entertainment was given under the auspices of St. Margaret's school in the school hall Saturday afternoon and evening. The program consisted of two plays, 'The Boston Dip,' a one-act comedy with eight players, and 'A Box of Monkeys,' a parlor farce in two acts.

"Following the entertainment in the evening, dancing was held in the gymnasium of the school. Miss Elizabeth Cole, instructor of English at St. Margaret's school, coached the members for the plays and the productions reflected great credit upon her work. The benefit was one of the biggest successes the school has ever held."

### Boy Scouts of America

On Monday, March 25, Mr. Loomis, field secretary of the Boy Scouts of America for this district, will talk upon boy scouting, at the parish house of Christ church, at 8 o'clock. Although this meeting is primarily for our troops of the Boy Scouts, all who are at all interested in the Boy Scouts are strongly urged to be present.

### H. W. Peirce on "Mexico"

A very interesting evening is anticipated at the South church on Friday, March 29, when the March social of the church will take place. H. Winthrop Peirce is to give a talk about Mexico and its people, and will illustrate his descriptions by means of his paintings, a large collection of curios, and blackboard drawings. All who have heard Mr. Peirce in any of his delightful lectures can appreciate the attractiveness of this announcement. During the evening, Mexican refreshments will be served. Admission will be fifteen cents.

## SANG CLASSICAL MUSIC

Tremendous Audience Attends Choral Service at Free Church. Program Successfully Rendered by Combined Choirs

Not since the days of the B. Fay Mills revival meetings more than two decades ago has such a gathering of people attended a service in Andover as that which was present at the union choral service in the Free church Sunday evening. Long before seven o'clock the audience began to occupy the seats in the church and before the time for beginning the service every pew was filled and the late comers were compelled to find seats in the choir gallery, the pulpit; an overflow crowd occupied the parish house adjoining, while many stood at the back of the church, and many others were unable to obtain admission at all.

The musical program was well sustained by the combined choir, and it was the unanimous opinion that the event was one of the best treats of sacred music ever given in Andover. Following the organ prelude, the choir sang the trio and chorus "The Heavens Are Telling" from Haydn's "Creation" with understanding and precision, maintaining good tone and rhythm throughout except perhaps in the ascending chromatic finale. The trio was sung by Miss Lillian Pike, William MacCreddie and J. Everett Collins, of the South church choir.

"The Souls of the Righteous," an elegy by Myles B. Foster, with soprano solo, was a composition of an entirely different nature and was perhaps the number of the program which called for the most exacting tonal qualities. Beginning with an appropriate organ introduction, a recitative was followed by a beautiful aria, which resolved itself into a soprano obligato with chorus accompaniment. Organ, piano, soloist and chorus produced a very pleasing effect.

"Be not afraid," the extremely difficult chorus from Mendelssohn's "Elijah," and there are no easy choruses in the "Elijah," was sung with great vigor and fine volume of tone in the opening passages. The fugue, "Thou thousands languish," was attacked promptly, but later the entrances were somewhat obscured and near the end there was a tendency toward raggedness. The finish, however, was correspondingly good.

The last choral number and the one in which the choir showed to the best advantage, and a number which always pleases an audience, was Woodward's "The Radiant Morn." From start to finish the singers evidenced a familiarity with the music which is the first requisite to a successful performance. The rendition of this favorite anthem with its accelerandos and ritardos, its diminutos and forte passages was especially pleasing to the audience.

Madison Jordan of the Unitarian church in Brookline, was the tenor soloist, and appeared to best advantage in the recitative and air "Ye people, rend your hearts," and "If with all your hearts." He sang intelligently and with good tone. His other solo, "My hope is in the Everlasting," from the "Daughter of Jairus," was not as successful especially in the second portion, "I sent you with mourning." It seemed as if he were not sure of himself and the necessary feeling was not apparent.

The two numbers on the program which probably gave the most satisfaction were the organ and piano duets. The selections were as completely different in theme as they could possibly be, but the effect was grand. The first, "Marche d'Ariane," by the great French organist Guilmant, was full of life and vigor, and might very properly be compared to the Church triumphant, while the second, by the same composer, might fittingly be likened to the prayer of thanksgiving by the people for the conclusion of a successful contest. The playing of pianists and organist was of a very high order and was greatly appreciated. The arduous work of accompanying the chorus devolved on Mrs. Wilson, at the piano, and Mr. Booth at the organ, and their skilful playing was of great assistance to the singers.

Frederic G. Moore had a difficult problem in conducting, but he wielded the baton successfully. He was greatly handicapped in the performance of his duty, and the effectiveness of the chorus in watching the baton, also the volume of sound and the tonal quality were greatly lessened by the singers being obliged to stand on a raised platform.

The whole performance was extremely meritorious and the public of Andover owes much to those who instituted the event and carried it to a successful conclusion.

### The program:

Organ Prelude, Adagio from Symphony 1 Widor  
Chorus from "The Creation," "The Heavens are Telling" Haydn  
Invocation  
Tenor solo from "Elijah," "Ye People Rend your Hearts" Mendelssohn Mr. Jordan  
Responsive Scripture Reading, No. 7  
Duet for piano and organ, "Marche d'Ariane" Guilmant  
Mrs. Angus at the piano  
Soprano solo and chorus (Elegy) "The Souls of the Righteous" Foster  
Offertory, "Meditation" Lemare  
Tenor solo, from "The Daughter of Jairus," "My Hope is in the Everlasting" Stainer  
Mr. Jordan  
Chorus from "Elijah," "Be Not Afraid" Mendelssohn  
Duet for piano and organ, "Pastorale" Guilmant  
Mrs. Wilson at the piano  
Chorus, "The Radiant Morn" Woodward  
Hymn 73, Ellers (unison setting)  
Benediction  
Organ Postlude, Marche Pontificale Widor

## 147 CHILDREN SPELL

Annual Contest for Varnum Lincoln Prizes Held on Friday Evening. Sharp Competition for Prize Awards

The third annual spelling match for the Varnum Lincoln prizes took place in the town hall last Friday evening. It was very evident even to the most careless observer that the interest in spelling which was awakened three years ago when the first match was held had not suffered any diminution since that time. There was the usual large and enthusiastic audience composed of non-participating children and interested parents and friends. "Notwithstanding the very disagreeable weather, without, at eight o'clock it was 'standing room only.'"

Charles G. Willard presided. Principal Alfred E. Stearns gave out the words and John L. Phillips of Phillips Academy acted as umpire.

The manner in which the contest was conducted differed considerably from the plan followed last year, and gave entire satisfaction to both participants and audience. Five preliminary matches were first held in which the pupils of the sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth grades and the high school spelled separately. The two standing longest in these contests were awarded respectively the first and second grade prizes of \$3 and \$2. These ten winners then joined in the general match for the general prizes.

A large number of children were entered, the greater proportion of them being girls. Boys were few and far between, especially in the ninth and high school matches. In the former, one lone boy competed; in the latter, opposed to seventeen girls were five of the opposite sex. Notwithstanding their weakness in point of numbers, they made a good showing. One small sixth grader, Henry Lavery of Frye Village, drew the applause of the audience by holding his own successfully for some time in the general match against two competitors, Lucretia Lowe of the high school and Alice Tomlinson of the ninth grade of the Bradlee school.

Although all the preliminary matches were interesting, especially toward the finish, the closest contest of all came between the Punched pupils. Near the finish four pupils remained standing. The word "bouillon" was given out; all failed. They were recalled and again all went down on "ochre." On the third trial, Miss Lowe was successful, with Miss Georgianna Keirstead second.

The spirit of competition which prevailed among the contestants was very noticeable. Many of the small youngsters who probably are not afflicted with over eagerness in the matter of spelling during their regular daily lessons in school, were manifestly desirous of mounting the platform and trying their luck with the rest. The uncertainties of the match also heightened the interest. In several instances pupils who had been expected to represent their respective classes with great credit, and who had a reputation among their schoolmates for being good spellers, were ignominiously put out of the race at the very start owing to the fact that either Fate, intentionally, or the conductor, unintentionally, gave them a hard word with a catchy place in it. On the other hand many spellers of ordinary ability managed to keep their places in line much longer than it was expected they would be able to do.

The results of the matches were as follows:

**Sixth Grade**  
\$3, Henry Lavery.  
\$2, Mary Caldwell.  
**Seventh Grade**  
\$3, George Knipe.  
\$2, Jenny Boutwell.  
**Eighth Grade**  
\$3, Julia McGrath.  
\$2, Rufus Keirstead.  
**Ninth Grade**  
\$3, Alice Tomlinson.  
\$2, Eunice Stack.  
**General Prizes**  
\$10, Lucretia Lowe, high school.  
\$6, Alice Tomlinson, ninth grade.  
\$4, Henry Lavery, sixth grade.



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## BROWNTAILS AND PARASITES

A. F. Burgess of the Bureau of  
Entomology Speaks Before the  
Natural History Society

About 100 people gathered in the  
town hall on Tuesday evening to lis-  
ten to a lecture given by A. F. Bur-  
gess of the Bureau of Entomology,  
an expert on parasites of browntail  
and gypsy moths, and one of the  
men now engaged in the work of  
finding some relief from the invasions  
of these pests. Before Mr. Burgess  
had spoken many minutes, it was evi-  
dent that he is more expert in the  
ways of insects and insect life than  
he is in the arts of public speaking.  
Many in the audience experienced  
difficulty in understanding him, but  
those who did follow closely learned  
many interesting facts about browntail  
and their parasites.

He said that the browntail was  
first brought to this country by a  
Frenchman who was interested in  
some experiments. The moths be-  
gan to spread, and about 1890, meas-  
ures began to be taken for control-  
ling the increase. Very little was  
known about the insect and investiga-  
tions were therefore begun by the  
state, in which progress was made  
up to 1900. The work was then dis-  
continued, as the moths were under  
control. This condition did not last  
long, however, as the moths began  
again to increase. Appropriations  
were made to carry on further work,  
and experts were sent to Europe to  
study the moths and find out meth-  
ods of stopping their increase. Spray-  
ing and burping of trees and the  
use of tanglefoot was commenced,  
and since then work has been steady-  
ly going on to discover the parasites  
of the insects.

Mr. Burgess spoke of the difficul-  
ties that have had to be met by the  
entomologists at work on this ques-  
tion. Large amounts of money are  
spent each year in investigating and  
experimenting with various insects,  
in the laboratory which had to be  
established, and to which European  
agents make shipments of insects  
from foreign countries. The chief  
difficulty comes in the fact that no  
one parasite has yet been found which  
will attack the browntail in any stage  
of its existence. There are egg par-  
asites, caterpillar parasites, pupae  
parasites, etc., each of which do ef-  
ficient work in a certain stage of  
moth life but which are of no use in  
any other period. Experiments have  
proven that there must be a sequence  
of parasites, one for each stage of  
the moth's life before complete con-  
trol of the insect can be secured. This  
sequence is what the entomologists  
are working for. Mr. Burgess said  
that this fact has not been under-  
stood by the public, or by the press,  
and that each time a new shipment  
of insects was received in this coun-  
try, a statement would be made that  
a new parasite had been found which  
was able to solve the whole question.  
This is far from the case. Another  
drawback encountered is the diffi-  
culty in shipping insects from Europe  
here. Unless great precautions are  
used, the caterpillars will starve, or  
the insect life will be in so advanced  
a stage that it cannot be used suc-  
cessfully in experiments.

The speaker gave many interesting  
stories of the habits of the various  
insects which have been studied in  
the laboratory. Among the species  
described was the Calasoma beetle  
which has attracted so much atten-  
tion.

At the conclusion of the lecture, in  
reply to several questions which were  
asked, Mr. Burgess said that very  
little headway has been made in the  
work, as the parasites often die, if  
the necessary conditions for their ex-  
istence are lacking, and as the in-  
crease of the moth is aided by so  
many agents hard to control. It has  
recently been discovered by experi-  
ments that the small caterpillars can  
be carried by the wind. Add to this,  
transportation by means of teams  
and automobiles, by running streams,  
by cordwood carried from place to  
place, etc., and there is no great  
chance of lessening the increase of  
the pest. What the entomologists  
are attempting to do is to control  
them in the worst infested districts.

### Saints and Scholars of Ireland

St. Patrick's Day was fittingly ob-  
served in Andover by a large part of  
St. Augustine's parish, who were pre-  
sent at a stereopticon lecture given in  
the town hall on Sunday evening by  
Rev. Wm. J. Gasson, S. J., president  
of Boston College. Fr. Gasson took  
as his subject, "Ireland: Its Saints  
and Scholars," a topic full of interest  
and possibilities, as every student of  
Irish history knows. That the lecturer  
fully appreciated the scope of his sub-  
ject was evidenced by the large num-  
ber of views which he showed to the  
audience, and by his great fund of  
historical facts and bits of comment  
concerning them. While time failed  
him to tell of all the 564 monasteries  
and churches, which have and still  
partially exist in Ireland, he never-  
theless gave his hearers a clear pic-  
ture of the architectural beauty, of  
the age and veneration, and of the  
great influence of these homes of the  
saints and scholars of the Emerald  
Isle, the ruins of which are today to  
be found in all parts of Ireland.

To the present day student of  
architecture, these ruins are of great  
interest, giving as they do, glimpses  
of rare and beautiful architectural de-  
signs, with columns, facades, and  
towers, which it is difficult to believe  
could have been erected centuries ago  
with the meagre facilities which must  
have then existed. By the churchman  
they are regarded with veneration, as  
they mark the development of Chris-  
tianity, and the centers of learning.

Previous to the lecture a concert of  
Irish airs was rendered by St. Augus-  
tine's choir.

## THE COUNTY EXPENDITURES

What Andover's \$12,000 Tax Helps  
to Do in the Business Trans-  
actions of Essex County

The County Treasurer's report of  
the receipts and expenditures of Es-  
sex County for 1911 as recently is-  
sued, contains much information of  
interest to Andover and the other  
cities and towns in the county.

The balance from 1910 left at the  
beginning of last year was \$117,922.36.  
Including this amount and also tem-  
porary loans which reached \$465,000,  
the total receipts for 1911 were  
\$1,431,245.55. Of this sum \$554,500  
was received as County taxes. An-  
dover paid \$11,343.15, an average  
amount. Lynnfield paid the smallest  
sum, \$1,098.57, and Lynn the largest,  
\$101,772.88. Permanent loans were  
secured to the amount of \$95,552.22,  
the largest of these being \$33,000.00.  
Interest on deposits in sixteen dif-  
ferent banks and trust companies ad-  
ded \$4,882.56. Fines, costs, and fees  
from district and police courts and  
trial justices amounted to \$1,128.33.  
Fines, costs, and fees from Supreme,  
Judicial, and Superior Courts totaled  
\$7,978.82; clerk of courts, fees,  
\$5,200.39. From the Registers of  
Deeds, \$26,516.77 was received, (this  
amount including land registrations  
and interest,) \$21,802.57 from the  
Southern districts, and \$4,714.20 from  
the Northern district.

Fines and costs from jailers and  
masters of houses of correction, also  
including labor and board, totaled  
\$4,292.40. The County Training  
school in Lawrence contributed  
\$8,076.71.

Highways, bridges, and land dam-  
ages amounted to \$111,272.42. This  
included, maintenance of Falls bridge  
in Lawrence, \$817.49; Duck bridge,  
\$418.17; survey for new bridge, \$775.  
44.

Dog licenses totaled \$26,887.70.  
Andover's share being \$995.40. Ped-  
dlers' licenses brought in \$256.00, while  
miscellaneous receipts amounted to  
\$293.23.

The total expenditures were \$1,335-  
954.81, leaving a balance of \$95,290.74.  
over \$22,000 less than the year be-  
fore. \$156,477.47 of this went for in-  
terest on and reduction of the County  
debt.

Salaries of county officers, assist-  
ants and clerks, amounted to  
\$67,003.91. Salaries of jailers, and  
Masters and support of prisoners in  
jails and houses of correction and  
salaries and expenses of District and  
Police Courts totaled \$125,073.33.  
\$65,000 was appropriated for District  
and Police courts, and \$63,868.79 ex-  
pended. This included \$9,395.73 for  
expenses of the Lawrence Police  
Court, \$17,818.21 for the Lynn Court,  
and \$3,372.18 for the Newburyport  
court. For salaries of jailers, masters,  
etc. \$65,000 was appropriated, and  
\$61,204.54 expended.

Criminal costs in Superior courts  
totalled \$28,380.47 out of an appro-  
priation of \$44,000; for expert and  
professional testimony, \$1,284.76;  
witness fees for the January, May  
and September terms, \$6,058.45;  
grand jurors, \$1,860.40; traverse jurors  
(3 terms) \$6,702.10.

Civil expenses in supreme judicial  
and superior courts made a total of  
\$30,236.89, including the following  
items: jurors (all sittings) \$22,306.70;  
officers (all sittings) \$5,672.80; con-  
stables (all sittings) \$352.76.

The cost of trial justices was  
\$8,268.26, traveling expenses of  
County Commissioners and associa-  
tes \$956.10, medical examiners, in-  
quests and insanity \$10,563.87.

Work on County buildings, repair-  
ing, furnishing, fuel, light, etc., made  
a total cost of \$73,650.00. Among  
the items for repairs were the fol-  
lowing: new school house, Lawrence,  
\$10,049.59; Lawrence Court house,  
\$2,638.17.

Highway, bridges, and land dam-  
ages cost \$100,557.76, law libraries,  
\$8,000, Essex County Training school,  
\$30,938.04; pensions, \$1,877.09; dog  
damages and license money returned  
to cities and towns \$28,601.56. Of  
this latter, Andover received \$723.37.  
Miscellaneous expenses were \$17,911.  
21. A payment of temporary loans  
was made amounting to \$692,954.81.

### Eliza Stowe Buried Here

Eliza Taylor Stowe, the last of the  
daughters of Mrs. Harriet Beecher  
Stowe, passed away on March 16, in  
Simsbury, Connecticut. The body  
was brought to Andover on Tuesday  
of this week and placed in the Chapel  
cemetery. A committal service was  
held at the grave at four o'clock.

Miss Stone and her twin sister,  
Isabella, were born in Cincinnati on  
September 29, 1836, where Mrs. Stowe  
was living during the absence of her  
husband abroad. The years of their  
young womanhood were spent in An-  
dover, the family home being the older  
part of what is now Phillips Inn. All  
three daughters were students at Ab-  
bot Academy. The only surviving  
member of the family is Rev. Charles  
E. Stowe, a brother, now of Con-  
necticut.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends and  
neighbors, both in Andover and Law-  
rence, for the many kindnesses ex-  
tended to us during our recent be-  
reavement.

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### Phillips Academy Notes

An interclass board track meet took  
place last Saturday afternoon in which  
the Seniors won with a total of 49 1-2  
points; 1913 came second with 36 1-2  
points; 1914 had 10 and 1915 2 points.

On Monday evening a baseball  
meeting was held in the gymnasium at  
which short talks were given by Mr.  
Stearns and Captain Mahan.

Charles P. Franchot of the Harvard  
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### The Andover-Exeter Concert

The annual concert of the And-  
over and Exeter combined musical  
clubs, which was held in the town hall  
on Saturday evening, was one of the  
most successful of recent years. The  
program contained both popular songs  
and classical music, and was well pre-  
sented in every instance.

Among the most enjoyable of the  
numbers were the song entitled  
"Laughing," sung by the Exeter Glee  
Club, also "The Rosary," excellently  
rendered by Mr. Kirkpatrick, the  
leader, accompanied by the other  
members of the club. The Andover  
Glee Club also distinguished itself by  
its singing of "The Feller with the  
Drum," and "Dried Apple Pies."

The program was as follows:  
Exeter Song Exeter Combined Clubs  
"Spanish Waltzes" Rosenberg  
March, "New Era" Boehm  
Andover Mandolin Club  
Steersman, Leave the Watch Wagner  
Laughing Abt  
Exeter Glee Club Heller  
"Darker Land" Eno  
"Poem Rustique" Andover Banjo Club  
Waltzes "Pink Lady" Stahl  
Sweet Marjorie March  
Exeter Mandolin Club  
Please Won't you Be My, Um! Dan Dore  
A Hunting We Will Go G. B. Nevins  
Sky High Galop Andover Glee Club  
Waldmere March Glionna  
When de' Ban' Plays Dixie Losey  
Exeter Banjo Club  
Exeter Quartet Parks  
"In the Shadows" Finck  
Medley of Popular Songs Arr. Rice  
Medley from the South Pike  
The Rosary Exeter Glee Club  
March Patrol Jennings  
"Chicken Reel" Daly  
Andover Banjo Club  
Selections from La Fille du Regiment Donizetti  
A Trip around the World Donizetti  
Exeter Mandolin Club  
The Feller with the Drum  
Dried Apple Pies Dan Dore  
Andover Glee Club J. D. Berwick  
Darkies' Patrol Lansing  
Dixie Medley Ozman  
Exeter Banjo Club  
"Old P. A." Fletcher  
Andover Combined Clubs

### German Play at Abbot Academy

The Deutscher Verein of Phillips  
Academy presented a play entitled  
"Der Verkannte Onkel," (The Mis-  
taken Uncle) in Davis Hall, Abbot  
Academy, on Tuesday evening, be-  
fore a large audience of students of  
the two academies and townspeople.

The play was written by Dr. Thure,  
the Prussian Exchange teacher at  
Phillips, and the scene is laid in An-  
dover in one of the Academy dormi-  
tories, on the night before an And-  
over-Exeter game. It deals with the  
mix-up arising from mistaken iden-  
tities. Dr. Thure introduced consid-  
erable humor into the lines, all of  
which was well brought out by the  
members of the cast.

Music by the Phillips Academy or-  
chestra and the singing of German  
songs by the German Glee club of  
Lawrence added to the pleasure of  
the evening.

The program:

Overture, "The Pink Lady" Orchestra

Songs— "Hoch, die alten Eichen rauschen" Gebke  
Abt

"Die stille Wasserrose" Lawrence Verein

"Pearls" Orchestra

Songs— "Im Ofen das Holz" Volkslied  
"Sah ein Knabe ein Roslin stehen" Goethe

Lawrence Verein

"The Red Rose" Rhein" Orchestra

"Die Wacht an Rhein" Orchestra

CAST

Fritz, R. M. Lovett, '14

Jack, L. F. Krueger, '13

Alphonse, R. H. Campbell, '12

Students in Phillips Academy

McDonald Grownrich, Fritz's uncle

from Kalamazoo, H. L. Gulliver, '12

William Kleankeeper, janitor in the

students' dormitory, R. W. Morse, '13

Gretchen, Fritz's sister, student at an

Academy, W. B. Higgins, '13

Miss Samantha Hardscrabble, Fritz's

aunt, P. Bradley, '12

### Unclaimed Letters

Brown, Fred A. Edison, Mrs. Frank  
Tighe, Mrs. J. Unit. Church Society  
Wilkinson, Mrs. T. Woodbury, L. C.  
Young, Mrs. Charles S.

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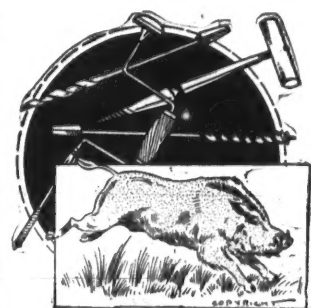
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## AMONG THE CHURCHES, CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

## REAR ADMIRAL MELVILLE

Was Noted Authority  
on Arctic Exploration



## SUCCUMBS TO PARALYSIS

Death of Rear Admiral Melville, an Authority on Naval Affairs

Philadelphia, March 18.—Rear Admiral George W. Melville, U. S. N., retired, died at his home here from paralysis. He was national commander of the Loyal Legion at the time of his death, and was a noted authority on Arctic exploration as well as engineering and naval affairs.

Rear Admiral Melville, who was placed on the retired list Jan. 10, 1903, was 72 years old. For sixteen years he was chief of the bureau of steam engineering in the navy department. He was appointed an assistant engineer in the navy in 1861 and was a member of both the Jeanette and the Greely relief expeditions to the Arctic Circle.

## INCOME TAX BILL IS PASSED BY HOUSE

Many Republicans Vote in Favor of the Measure

Washington, March 20.—The Democratic excise tax bill, which is expected to raise between \$50,000,000 and \$60,000,000 a year in revenue, was passed by the house. Many amendments offered to the measure before it was placed on passage were rejected.

The measure is actually an income tax, aimed to provide for the loss of revenue caused by reductions in the sugar tariff. The vote was 249 to 41. Sixty-three Republicans voted for the bill.

Through a committee amendment, that section of the bill requiring all persons having a gross income of \$1500 to make a report was made to apply to all persons having a net income of that amount.

## HIGH STEAM PRESSURE

Appears to Have Caused Explosion in Which Thirty-Two Lives Were Lost

San Antonio, Tex., March 21.—An official report as to the cause of the explosion of locomotive No. 704 in the Southern Pacific yards will not be made until the arrival of John Ensign, chief locomotive inspector for the United States government, now on his way from Washington.

Meanwhile the committee of railroad officials, army officers and citizens will continue its investigation. This committee, it is said, has eliminated all possible causes except that of too great steam pressure and the committee is endeavoring to find the cause for this high pressure and fix the blame.

Even now it is impossible to ascertain definitely how many were killed in the explosion. Thirty-two bodies have been accounted for, but those who have assembled the fragments of bodies say possibly more met death.

## THREE CONVICTS SLAIN

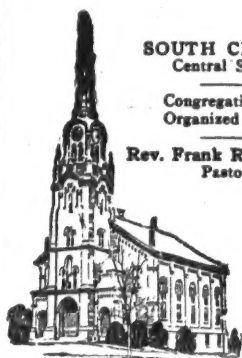
Fugitive Murderers Laid Out by Posse in Nebraska

Gretna, Neb., March 19.—The posse which set out yesterday in pursuit of the three convicted murderers who escaped from the Nebraska penitentiary Thursday came upon the fugitives near here yesterday afternoon. The convicts stood the big posse off with a rifle fire. All three convicts were killed.

The fugitives while being pursued captured a boy driving a wagon, climbed in and dashed on. The convicts were lying on the bottom of the wagon, their rifles protruding over the side.

Pitney a Full-Fledged Justice  
Washington, March 19.—Mahlon Pitney of New Jersey took the oath of office and assumed the duties of associate justice of the supreme court of the United States as the successor of the late Justice Harlan.

## CHURCH CALENDAR FOR NEXT WEEK



## SOUTH CHURCH

Central Street

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Rev. Frank R. Shipman

Pastor

10.30. Morning worship, with sermon by the pastor. Also, Sunday kindergarten.  
12.00. Sunday School.  
6.30. Y. P. S. C. E.  
7.15. Monday. K. O. K. A.  
7.45. Wednesday. Midweek meeting.  
2.30. Thursday. Women's Union sewing meeting.  
7.45. Thursday. Choir practice.  
7.30. Friday. Parish social; illustrated talk on "Mexico" by H. Winthrop Peirce.



## PHILLIPS ACADEMY CHAPEL

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School Minister

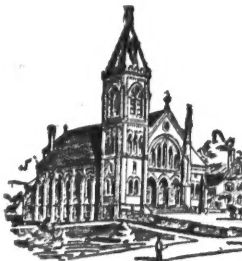
10.30. Morning service with sermon by the school minister.  
11.30. Sunday School in Bartlet Chapel.  
5.15. Vesper service with address by Principal Stearns.

## ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH

Essex Street

Roman Catholic Organized 1850

Rev. Fr. Riordan, Pastor



8.30 a.m. Mass and instruction, Sunday-school following.  
10.30 a.m. High Mass and sermon.  
3.30 p.m. Vespers.  
First Sunday of each month. Communion day for Sacred Heart Sodality.  
Second Sunday of each month. Communion day for the children.  
Third Sunday of each month. Communion and Rosary Arch Confraternity.

## NORTH PARISH CHURCH

Unitarian

No. Andover Centre

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Rev. Wm. S. Nichols

Minister



10.30 a.m. Morning worship.  
11.45 a.m. Sunday school.  
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## WEST CHURCH

West Parish

Congregational

Organized 1826

Rev. Dean A. Walker

Pastor



10.30. Morning worship, sermon by the pastor.  
12.00. Sunday School.  
3.00. Y. P. S. C. E.  
7.30. Tuesday. Andover Local Union of Christian Endeavorers at Ballardvale.  
7.45. Wednesday. Prayer and conference meeting.  
2.30. Thursday. Ladies' Aid society at parsonage.  
7.30. Friday. Monthly social of Seamen's Friend society.  
2.30. Saturday. Juvenile Missionary society.  
7.30. Saturday. Choir rehearsal.

## FREE CHURCH, Congregational

Elm Street

Organized 1846

Rev. Frederic A. Wilson

Pastor



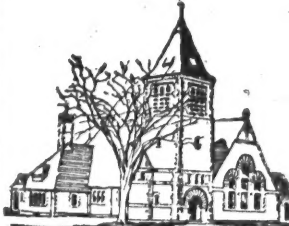
10.30 a.m. Worship with sermon by Rev. George Edward Martin, D.D., of Lexington.  
12.00 m. Sunday School and Men's class.  
6.30 p.m. The Y. P. S. C. E. Separate meeting for the young men and the young ladies. Subject, "Why I believe in the Christian life."  
7.15 p.m. Monday. Castle Winchester.  
7.30 p.m. Monday. The young ladies' Dorcas Circle.  
7.30 p.m. Tuesday. Quarterly meeting of Andover Y. P. S. C. E. Union with Ballardvale society.  
7.30 p.m. Wednesday. The midweek devotional and conference service.  
7.45 p.m. Friday. Meeting of the Sunday School club at the home of Miss Louisa Eaton, Bartlet street.

## CHRIST CHURCH

Central Street

Episcopal, Organized 1835

Rev. Frederic Palmer, D.D., Rector



9.30 a.m. Holy Communion.  
10.30 a.m. Morning prayer, with sermon by the rector.  
12.00 m. Sunday School.  
7.30 p.m. Evening prayer, with sermon by Rev. Mr. Rollins of Charlestown.  
5.00 p.m. Service in the chapel daily, except on Wednesday.  
3.45 p.m. Tuesday. Junior Auxiliary.  
3.45 p.m. Tuesday. Boy Scouts.  
7.45 p.m. Wednesday. Evening prayer, with sermon by Rev. Philo W. Sprague of Charlestown.  
2.30 p.m. Thursday. Mission study class and Woman's Guild.

## BAPTIST CHURCH

Organized 1835

Rev. W. E. Lombard



10.30 a.m. Morning worship.  
11.45 a.m. Sunday school.  
6.30 p.m. C. E. meeting.  
7.15 p.m. Gospel service.  
7.30 p.m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

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## McDOUGALL'S MUSINGS

Roosevelt

While I don't think that the Colonel is seeking a third term, he might be justified in so doing if the American people said that they wanted him.

A few light-headed Boston Cotton aristocrats running after him and crying "Teddy," may not represent the great sense of the intelligent American people. As I said in a former letter, it was the tragic death of Mr. McKinley that put Mr. Roosevelt into office, and not the people, so that this third term idea does not appeal to me.

Personally I prefer Mr. Taft. The humbug of saying that Roosevelt represents the young progressive republican party is, I think, monstrous. In my opinion, Mr. Taft is the leader of the progressive party, and can wield the big stick when needed. Mr. McKinley understood the tariff perhaps better than any president we have had. His last public utterance was in favor of reciprocity. Mr. Taft favors the same idea; his advocacy of reciprocity with Canada was sincere and honest. Do Roosevelt and his progressives wish to have reciprocity with any country?

Arbitration, rather than war is advocated by Mr. Taft. Roosevelt would rather have war, that is if it was a little fellow like Spain he had to fight.

I will not enter into the complicated questions involved in what is called the Referendum. Louis Napoleon proclaimed himself Emperor of France and had the army on his side and half of the streets of Paris running with blood and then said, get a "plebiscite" i.e., referendum.

In Scotland when a man is to be married, all his past misdeeds and all the sins of his fathers are recounted. I will only glance at four stupid things Roosevelt did on his way home from shooting elephants.

The Pope lives in Rome, and has a right to say to any caller "not at home," just as any householder has. It was a blunder to give the Pope the power to say "not at home" when Mr. Roosevelt was to call on him. In reviewing twenty thousand soldiers along with that "God sent" war Lord, the German Emperor, Mr. Roosevelt said he was glad to see so many "Citizen soldiers." "Citizen soldiers"—note the words. They were not cit-

izen soldiers, but conscripts, compelled to be soldiers.

Again, when speaking to the French savants, Mr. Roosevelt showed his want of tact in speaking about soldiers, as the loss of Alsace and Lorraine is still fresh in their memory. A proverb I have often heard in Scotland says, "Never speak about a rope to a man whose father was hanged."

Another gross blunder I give which shows the egotism of the man. When in the Guild hall in London, he told the great men there how to rule Egypt. Just think of Mr. Ashquith on a visit to Washington telling the Americans how to rule Cuba.

All I have said only shows that an educated man who can speak German and French and now and again speaks sense, may be wanting in gumption.

If Mr. Taft had done nothing else than take the tariff out of log roller's hands, he deserves the support of all the people. The Republican cry that only Teddy can win in 1913 is silly and may lead to a Democratic president as in case of Roosevelt getting the nomination many good republicans may stay at home on election day.

I have been led to this letter by seeing a leading article in the best Commercial newspaper in Scotland. The heading of the article is "Mr. Roosevelt in the Ring." I quote a few sentences to show the trend of public opinion in the old country.

"It is the unbroken practice of the great parties to nominate their chiefs for a second term and for the Republicans to refuse the nomination to Mr. Taft would be an unheard of thing." "When Mr. Taft was made president, Mr. Roosevelt is quoted as saying, 'No man of better training, no man of more dauntless courage, of sounder common sense, of higher and finer character, had ever come to the presidency than William Howard Taft.' Mr. Roosevelt also said that under no circumstances would he accept another nomination, yet here he is 'in the ring' to use his own words 'stripped to the buff' and promising the most raging, tearing campaign the country has ever seen."

It is just well for us to see ourselves as others see us. I am not like some folks, I have faith in the common sense of the American people.

IAN McDOUGALL

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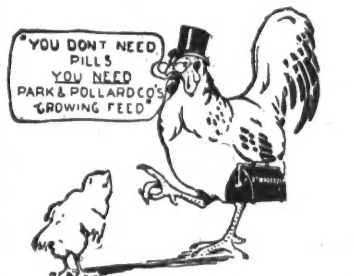
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## ATTRactions AT THE THEATRES

### BOSTON THEATRES

**New Attractions**  
Majestic—Sam Bernard in "He Came from Milwaukee."  
Castle Square—"Tribby."

**Continuing Attractions**  
Colonial—"The Rose Maid."  
Plymouth—"The Deep Purple."  
Hollis Street—William H. Crane in "The Senator Keeps House."  
Shubert—"As a Man Thinks."  
Tremont—"Gypsy Love."  
Boston—"The Littlest Rebel."  
Park—"The Country Boy."

**Coming Attractions**  
Plymouth—Gertrude Elliott in "Preserving Mr. Panmure."  
Hollis Street—Robert Edson in "The Indiscretion of Truth."  
Shubert—"Two Little Brides."  
Majestic—"Paul Marcel and his French Players."  
Colonial—"The Siren."

### CASTLE SQUARE

"Tribby," a four act play based on the novel of Du Maurier, is the attraction at Castle Square. Mary Young appears to great advantage in the title role, while Mr. Craig plays the part of the dominating Svengali. The other parts are well cast also.

### COLONIAL

The operetta, "The Rose Maid," which has been so well received at the Colonial theatre, closes its engagement there tomorrow night. Seats have been on sale all this week for "The Siren," the next attraction, which will open on Tuesday evening, March 26. This new musical comedy promises to be one of the chief productions of the season.

### HOLLIS STREET

This is the last week of the engagement of William H. Crane, in "The Senator Keeps House," at the Hollis Street Theatre. Christopher Larkin, the United States Senator from the Northwest is one of the best of Mr. Crane's creations. Next week Robert Edson comes in "The Indiscretion of Truth."

### TREMONT

The new musical comedy, "Gypsy Love," is attracting considerable attention at the Tremont. It bids fair to rival "The Merry Widow" written by the same author. It has all the attractive qualities of its predecessor and more besides. This is the second week of its stay.

### BOSTON THEATRE

In the opinion of Dustin Farnum, handsome and heroic portrayer of the Northern officer in "The Littlest Rebel," at the Boston Theatre, this stirring war drama from the pen of Edward Peple is destined to figure prominently in the negotiations for universal peace which are engrossing the attention of nations at this time. He says:

"The story of 'The Littlest Rebel' so strongly brings out the big human phase of conditions which exist during the time of war, the heartaches of those who remain at home waiting for crumbs of news from the ones in battle and the anguish of the men who give up their lives for their country with no hope of ever seeing their wives and children again, this play will eventually be held up as a potent argument in favor of the abolition of war."

"And yet," spoke up William Farnum, brother star of "The Littlest Rebel," "I have never known a play that had a rattling good battle scene in it which has not been successful. There is something primitive in each of us that responds with an uncanny delight to the call to arms. I agree with Dustin that war should be abolished, but if it is, what will our dramatists do for material with which to stir the patriotism of the people. I have learned on good authority that the recruiting stations have increased their enlistments twenty-five percent in every city in which 'The Littlest Rebel' has appeared. I am afraid that as long as Americans have good red blood in their veins, there will always remain the desire to settle this country's disputes in school-boy fashion, by calling the other fellow out into the alley and pounding him into a jelly."

### MAJESTIC

That distinguished Parisian French actor, P. Paul Marcel and his famous French players, will be the attraction at the Majestic theatre for four special matinees, commencing Monday, March 25. Wherever Paul Marcel's excellent organization has played in this country since their arrival in the United States, the attendance has been large, and the performances most notable from the fact that the play, "Les Freres Ennemis" ("Brother Enemies") is interpreted by talented French actors, and every member of the company is a master of the French language and possesses a beautiful diction. While the play is presented in the French language, no one can help understanding the drama, it is so simple in text.

"Les Freres Ennemis" was written by those eminent French authors, Mons. Eckmann and Chartrian, in collaboration. The situations are complex and the dialogue is intensely interesting; the comedy is bright and crisp. The purity and sweetness of its story has been a great factor in its success in Europe and is now being duplicated since its premiere in the United States. The engagement is most notable. No advance in prices. Performances on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

"He came from Milwaukee," at the Majestic for one week more, concerns the arrival from the Wisconsin city of one Herman von Schnellwein, a brewer, who in his travels through Europe meets the Duke of Zurich. The Duke, for political reasons, desires to remain incognito and induces the man from Milwaukee to assume his role. The ensuing complications,

particularly a drumhead court-martial, give Bernard notable opportunity for his special brand of fun-making.

Among the numerous scenes accorded Mr. Bernard in his masquerade as the Duke is one of a duel with a fire-eating Frenchman, which is described as one of the funniest bits of foolery ever seen on the musical comedy stage.

### SHUBERT

James T. Powers in "Two Little Brides," a musical comedy in three acts with score by Gustave Kerker, composer of "The Belle of New York," which is intended for a spring and summer run at the Casino, will, previous to its New York engagement, be seen at the Shubert theatre next week, beginning Monday, March 25.

"Two Little Brides," as the title implies, concerns the adventures of two attractive young misses, who, while attending a convent in Russia, take advantage of an ancient but inexorable rule of the institution which decrees that if a girl is found in the presence of a man (other than one connected with the convent) she will have to marry the man without further ado. A Count, who is flirting with one of the girls, calls on the fair one and in order to get rid of her friend he calls in Polyarp Ivanovitch, (Mr. Powers) a friend. Polyarp is asked to keep the young lady engaged and before the men know what has happened they are "caught with the goods," and must, of course, marry. The rule is inflexible, having been put in force by Her Royal Highness, who is patroness of the convent. Polyarp's position is serious because he had been on his way to marry, but he misses the appointment and—presumably—till doomsday the brother of the outraged lady pursues penitent Polyarp.

### PARK

Henry B. Harris's "The Country Boy" company is presenting at the Park theatre, one of the most remarkably popular plays seen in many seasons. "The Country Boy" is particularly appealing to the New England mind. It is the personal quality in the play which has endeared it to the hearts of the Bostonians. The story of the play, briefly, is that of a youth who attributes his lack of success at home to the limitations of a small town and its few opportunities. So he leaves his widowed mother and his charming home and, urged on by his love for a rich man's daughter, seeks the great city. He locates in a boarding-house in the theatrical district and falls in love right away with a chorus girl who also boards there. She uses him for her convenience until he has wasted every cent of his money, and his business chances, dancing attendance on her. Then she drops him. The little sweetheart from the country hears about the chorus girl and she drops him too. Then when the landlady puts him out he begins to think of suicide as the only way out of his troubles. Mother and home are forgotten. But he doesn't even succeed in killing himself, for a friendly newspaper man drops in just at the psychological moment and turns the tide of affairs from despondency and suicide to optimistic plans for the future. After an all-night talk, a plan is formulated whereby the two go back to the country and start a newspaper there which is a success in the end. The little sweetheart is won back again and all is happy in the final scene.

Mail orders from out-of-town patrons will receive prompt and careful attention at the Park theatre and the best available seats reserved or mailed immediately upon application.

### LAWRENCE THEATRES

#### COLONIAL THEATRE

##### "The Rosary"

Those who complain about the decadence of the drama can offer no sound criticism of "The Rosary," which was the sensation of the popular priced houses last season. It is not a religious drama of the heavy sort, lacking in entertaining qualities. On the contrary, it is a delightful story of every-day life, in which the plot hinges upon the misery which creeps into a household through circumstances which lead to suspicion and jealousy.

The play is handsomely staged by the producers, Rowland and Clifford, and is enacted by a powerful acting cast. It is now at the Colonial theatre. The engagement ends on Saturday.

##### "Get Rich Quick Wallingford"

George M. Cohan as a writer of comedy without the adornments of lingerie, and perversion of classic compositions to fit a popular tune, which have made him a recognized factor in America, is a new development in the career of this young man. He has taken the sketches of Chester and made a comedy of highway finance named "Get Rich Quick Wallingford."

The piece has been a huge success in New York for the past year. In deed, it has just left the George M. Cohan theatre where it dominated Broadway amusements continually for 412 performances, while a western company, organized expressly for Chicago, had a run of almost equal length to its credit in that city. In fact, "Get Rich Quick Wallingford" may safely be said to be the biggest success that has ever been launched by the progressive firm of Cohan and Harris, and the announcement that it will be the offering at the Colonial theatre next Monday night, March 25, will be welcome news to local amusement seekers.

##### "The Old Town"

Montgomery & Stone, who for years have not played any of the

smaller cities have been secured by the Colonial management for one night, during April. "The Old Town," their latest musical success which created such a sensation in Boston last season will come to Lawrence in its entirety.

## NORTH ANDOVER

The Selectmen have appointed Joseph W. Crockett local supervisor of moth suppression.

The Grange observes "Poultry Night," Tuesday, when John Robinson of Boston will be the speaker.

Mrs. Ernest J. Bencker of West View farm, in the Kimball district, visited in Stoneham, Sunday and Monday.

The vestry of the Trinitarian Congregational church was the scene, Friday evening, of a most enjoyable musicale and social, in honor of the elegant new piano.

Under the auspices of the Grange, the Young Men's Catholic association will present a minstrel performance next Monday evening, in Grange hall, at the Centre.

Ben. Perly Poor, R. A. Merrill, and Harlow E. Mead have returned from Amherst, where they took a 10 weeks' special course at the Massachusetts State Agricultural college.

Class 1914, Johnson High school, is arranging for a dancing party, to be given in Stevens hall, Friday evening, April 26. The Columbian orchestra is to furnish music.

Under the auspices of the young people of the Ward Hill church a fine minstrel show was put on in the vestry of that church Thursday evening, delighting an audience that filled the room.

The legislative committee on counties accompanied by the Essex county commissioners, passed through this town Saturday, enroute from Salem to Lawrence in a tour of Essex county.

It is reported that there are 60 per cent more gypsy moth nests this year than in any previous season hereabouts, while the decrease in the number of brown tail nests amounts to about 80 per cent.

At the annual meeting of the Nathaniel Gage chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, held recently, at the home of Miss Aroline Hall and Miss Anna M. Pearl, in Bradford, Mrs. Nathaniel Gage of Prospect Villa, in the River district, was elected a member of the advisory committee.

The nicely appointed clubhouse of the Stevens Social club was the scene of a very helpful and enjoyable affair, Monday evening, when the members of the thriving organization entertained a large party of friends. The feature of the evening was a talk on "Australia" by Harold J. Gardner of Brisbane.

Under the auspices of the North Andover Improvement society there will be an illustrated lecture on "Our Birds," in Merrimack hall, April 18, at 1 p.m., for the benefit of Troop 2, Boy Scouts. The lecturer, Edward Howe Forbush is ornithologist to the Massachusetts Board of Agriculture, and a well-known naturalist, woodsman and traveler. The tickets, which are 25 cents, may be procured of the Boy Scouts.

John Fenton of 82 Union street, employed by his brother-in-law, George A. Lannen, proprietor of a meat market, was assaulted Saturday evening by two unknown men while delivering orders on Harkaway road, Stevens Village. Mr. Fenton had considerable money in his possession, which he had collected, and it is believed that the motive of the attack was robbery. The assailants did not accomplish their purpose, however, and Mr. Fenton escaped without serious injury.

## METHUEN

The annual carnival of the Methuen Y. M. C. A. will be held on the evening of March 29 in the Nevins Memorial hall.

A drama entitled "Lucia's Lover" is to be given by Mrs. Hill's class of the M. E. Sunday school, March 27, in the Town hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Dow of Barker street are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter, which was born Sunday. Mr. Dow is superintendent of streets in this town.

The members of the Woman's union of the Congregational church are planning to present an entertainment about the middle of April in the Nevins Memorial hall.

A public hearing will be held at the office of the selectmen on the afternoon of April first on the petition of the Lawrence Knitting company to store gasoline in a tank near Central place.

O. A. Morton, superintendent of schools Marlborough, delivered an illustrated lecture on "Schools and Home Gardening" before an enthusiastic audience last week in Nevins Memorial hall.

The annual convention of the Essex County Christian Endeavor society will be held at the Trinitarian church in North Andover on April 19. There will be a morning and afternoon session.

The Boys' club of the All Saints' Episcopal church held a meeting in the new room off Broadway on Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock. The boys of the club have formed a basketball team.

The Methuen High school track team defeated the Y. M. C. A. team from the men's class by the score 34 to 20 in a meet held on Friday eve-

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## LAWRENCE

A pretty dancing party was held on Monday evening at the Merrimack Valley Country club.

Large crowds were attracted on Tuesday evening by the spring openings held by Robertson Sutherland Co., and R. A. Day Co.

The Opera House opened on Monday matinee and evening as a vaudeville theatre. Large audiences were present at both performances.

Announcement was made on Saturday during an executive session of the strike committee that the strike at the Pemberton mill been declared off.

An examination of the I. W. W. books was begun by an expert accountant from Boston on Saturday, and continued for several days this week.

Daniel Mackay of Roxbury, well known as the friend of the prisoners, gave an interesting address at the Free Baptist church on Sunday evening.

W. L. Sjostrom, for the past 16 years superintendent of the Lawrence Dye Works has accepted the position of assistant agent of the company.

A. L. Rafter, assistant superintendent of the Boston public schools, gave an interesting talk on the schools of Porto Rico before the Masters' club on Tuesday evening.

An addition is being built on to the paper mill machinery factory of the J. H. Horne & Sons Co. The increase in floor space was made necessary by the extension of business.

The militia stationed in the city joined in the country-wide memorial to the dead of the battleship Maine by holding exercises on Canal Street between Jackson and Amesbury on Sunday.

Dissatisfaction is being shown by the stationary firemen in the city as regards their wages. A meeting was held on Sunday evening at which no direct action was taken, but at which matters were discussed.

Complaints of discrimination between the operatives who have been out on strike and those who have kept at their work have been frequent during the week. Employees who returned to work on Monday morning asserted that they did not receive fair play.

Three members of the board of tuberculosis hospital trustees, Dr. Siskind and Messrs. Lannigan and Eaton, have tendered their resignations, the same to take effect at once. The action was taken as the result of recent changes made by the authorities in the conduct of the institution.

The annual Irish night was held by 400 pupils of St. Mary's school at the Opera House on Sunday evening, March 17. Irish songs and sketches were the main features of the program of the evening, and a large audience which was present showed its appreciation of the efforts of the children in no uncertain manner.

South Lawrence is asking for many road improvements this year. A meeting of the Improvement society was held this week, at which it was voted to ask for repair work to be done in several different sections. Among the requests was that for the repairing of South Broadway from the South Canal to Andover street and from that point to Phillips Hill.

The employees of the Pingree factory, the Dinsmoor factory, and the Lawrence Lumber Company went on strike the first of the week, organized under the I. W. W., and demanded a 54-hour week and a 5 per cent increase in wages. On Tuesday, the Lawrence Lumber and Pingree factories granted all demands.

An effort is to be made to form an inter-church union in the Lawrence district, including churches in Lawrence, Methuen, North Andover, and Andover. Plans for this step were discussed on Monday evening at a joint meeting of the executive committee and the committee of 100 connected with the Men and Religion Forward Movement held in the Universalist church.

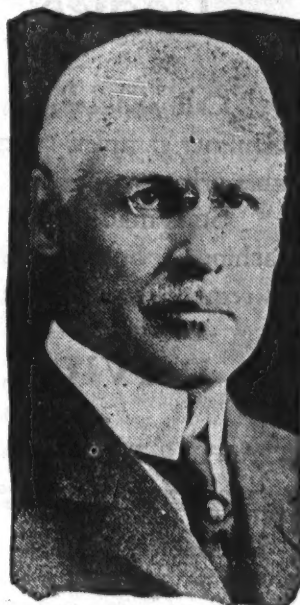
ning at the association rooms on Central square. A number of the events were exciting.

On Sunday, March 24, a concert for the benefit of the Arlington Day Nursery will be given by the members of the St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church choir at the church on Arlington street.

The selectmen of the town of Methuen held a meeting at their office in the Town house last Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The board organized the same as last year, Millard F. Emerson being elected chairman of the selectmen and overseers of the poor.

## JOHN F. HILL

Noted Pine Tree State Man  
Passes Away at Boston



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## HILL'S BODY LAID AWAY

Church Bells Toll and Business Is Suspended at Augusta

Augusta, Me., March 20.—Simple funeral rites, a hushed pause in the business and social activity of the city and the measured toll of the church bells marked the burial of John F. Hill, chairman of the Republican national committee, four years governor of Maine, and for many years one of its most distinguished private citizens.

The simple ceremonies were participated in by the friends and neighbors of the deceased, though the representatives of the great business and political organizations of the country were present to pay tributes of respect.

After the prayers were said at the house the family and close friends followed the body to the grave in Forest Grove cemetery.

The former governor died at Boston last Saturday of heart disease.

## MAN WHO SHOT HUB BROKER IS INSANE

Criminal Court Judge Sends  
Lewinski to an Asylum

Boston, March 21.—Herman Lewinski, who shot Spencer R. Hill of Richardson, Hill & Co., in the firm's brokerage offices about two weeks ago, was committed as an insane person by Judge Brown of the superior criminal court. He will be taken to the insane hospital at Bridgewater.

Lewinski is 68 years old and unmarried. He had at one time been a customer of Richardson, Hill & Co. He believed that he had not been fairly treated by the brokers and is supposed to have brooded over his losses under this misapprehension until his mind became unbalanced.

Hill was not dangerously wounded, but only yesterday afternoon was he able to leave the City hospital for his home.

## DODGES FEMALE NURSES

Dr. Walker, Who Is Seriously Ill, Is Removed From Hospital

New York, March 20.—Dr. Mary Walker, whose advanced views have caused her to wear male attire for more than half a century, insisted on being removed from the Presbyterian hospital because she could not stand being hampered by a "lot of female nurses."

Dr. Walker is ill from bronchitis and her condition is serious. She was a nurse herself during the Civil war, but she could not stand for the codding and she protested so vigorously that the physicians decided that it would be better to remove her to a hotel.

## STICK TO PLAISTED

Maine Democrats Hope He Will Be on National Ticket

Boston, March 21.—Judge Hudspeeth of New Jersey, Democratic national committeeman and personal friend of Governor Wilson, has been making a tour of Maine in the interest of Wilson's candidacy for the presidential nomination.

He reports that things look very well for Wilson there, but leading Democrats are not permitting the contest to take definite shape in the hope that Governor Plaisted may be able to secure strength for the second place on the ticket.

## No Pledge in Maine

Augusta, Me., March 20.—An un-instructed delegation will be sent from Maine to the national Democratic convention, as the result of the state convention held here. Strong efforts from the supporters of Woodrow Wilson to have the delegates pledged to his support went for naught.



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**UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
Rev. Augustus H. Fuller, Pastor  
Services for next week  
10.30 a.m. Worship with sermon by the pastor.  
Sunday school to follow.  
2.30 p.m. Meeting of Juniors.  
6.30 p.m. Y. P. S. C. E.  
7.30 p.m. Thursday. Prayer meeting.

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Rev. C. J. McKelton, Pastor.  
Services for next week  
10.30 a.m. Worship with sermon by the pastor. Topic, "Christ's Use of Parables."  
Sunday School to follow.  
6.00 p.m. Epworth League.  
7.00 p.m. Praise service with address by pastor. Topic, "Heaven, a Prepared Place for a Prepared People."  
7.30 p.m. Thursday. Prayer meeting.

Mrs. Edward York spent Sunday with relatives in Lowell.

Mrs. David Walker spent Sunday with friends in Haverhill.

Mrs. Charles Russ of Haverhill has been visiting relatives in the village.

Archibald Higgins of Lowell spent Monday with relatives in the village.

Miss Mabel Herrick spent Sunday with her sister at her home in Somerville.

Mrs. Annie Colbath of Andover spent the day with friends in the village.

The local C. E. society will present their play on May 1. Full particulars in this column later.

Miss Chamberlain of Boston was the guest over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. William Shaw.

Miss Marjory Davies of Attleboro is spending her two weeks' vacation at her home in the village.

The Independence Drum Corps is bidding on several engagements offered them for the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dane of Lowell were the guests Sunday of the latter's sister, Miss Sadie M. Kent.

John Fallows and daughter, Miss Edith Fallows of Amesbury, spent Sunday with relatives in the village.

Mrs. Lena E. Knox of Wollaston is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stott, River street.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Greenwood of Lawrence spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund M. Fessenden of Lawrence spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Mary A. Fessenden, Andover street.

The Congregational Ladies' Aid society held a well attended meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Felix G. Haynes, High street.

Mr. and Mrs. Allison Morse and Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Colquhoun of Andover were the guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Stott, High street.

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### ANDOVER NEWS

George T. Abbott has been confined to his home during the week by sickness.

Mrs. Ann Hay, grandmother of Mrs. James Callum of this town, died on Wednesday at her home in Methuen.

#### South Church Choir Entertained

The members of the South church choir and their friends to the number of about one hundred were the guests of the Women's Union on Thursday evening at a very delightful chafing-dish supper. A menu of delicious good things had been arranged, and was enjoyed to the fullest extent by all.

At the conclusion of the supper, Charles J. Francis spoke a few words in commendation of the excellent work which has been rendered by Frederic G. Moore, the organist and choirmaster; also of the assistance given to the choir by Mrs. Moore. He ended his remarks by presenting Mr. and Mrs. Moore with a beautiful bunch of roses.

The evening was concluded by the usual choir rehearsal.

#### Abbott Academy Notes

A very able and interesting lecture on arbitration was given to the school last Saturday by Rev. James Tryon, a secretary and very active member of the Peace society.

Professor Ryder led the Sunday evening service.

The speaker tomorrow evening will be Rev. Dr. George E. Martin of the Hancock church in Lexington.

The indoor athletic contest, held yesterday afternoon, was won by the Senior Middle class. The score was 38 to 25.

The school closes Tuesday for the spring vacation of two weeks.

#### Phillips Organ Recital

The final recital in the series for the present school year was given by Professor Ashton on Wednesday afternoon. The program was as follows:

Morgestimmung from Peer Gynt Suite  
Toccata in D minor  
Andante and Variations  
Elevation in E flat  
Pastorale  
Scherzo from Fifth Sonata  
Largo

This was the forty-third recital which has been played on the William Couch Eggleston memorial organ since its installation in June, 1909. Fully one-third of the compositions played this year were given at these recitals for the first time. One feature of this year's series has been the annotations on the programs which have increased the educational value of the recitals.

#### Obituary

##### EMMA W. SPAULDING

Mrs. Emma W. Spaulding, wife of Charles Spaulding, of West Andover, died on Wednesday of this week at the family home on the former Follansbee place. The deceased was 56 years of age. Besides her husband, she leaves a son and a daughter. Funeral services are being held this afternoon at two o'clock. Burial in Spring Grove cemetery.

#### GOES DOWIE ONE BETTER

Volliva to Announce Himself as "Message of the Covenant"

Chicago, March 20.—Paving the way for announcement of himself as Elijah II., Wilbur G. Volliva, owner of Zion City, is holding daily and nightly conferences with his "elect."

"No man knoweth what my title will be," said Volliva. "Nor does anyone know when I will deliver the message. But it will be on a Sunday."

Followers of Volliva said he would go John A. Dowie, who called himself Elijah II., one better by announcing himself as the "Message of the Covenant," who is to herald the second coming of Christ.

#### IN BOSTON MARKETS

Butter—Choice northern creamery, 31½¢@32½¢; western creamery, 30½¢@31¢; firsts, 28½¢@29¢.  
Eggs—Choice henner, 24¢@24½¢; eastern extras, 23½¢@24¢; western, 22½¢@23¢.  
Apples—Baldwins, fancy, \$2.50@2.60; greenings, \$2@2.50; russets, \$1.50@2.50.  
Potatoes—Eastern, \$2.70@2.75; 2-bu bg; foreign white, \$2.75@2.85; bbl bg; sweets, Jersey, \$1.60@1.75 bskt.  
Poultry—Western turkeys, 20¢@22¢; chickens, native roasting, 22¢@24¢; western capons, 18¢@22¢; fowl, northern, large, 18¢@19¢; medium, 15¢@16¢; live fowl, 16¢@17¢; live chickens, 14¢@16¢; squabs, \$4.50@5 doz.

#### Referred to Dr. Cook

It is taking some time for the flood of stories about the discovery of the North Pole to sweep past. Along comes this belated one from old Kentucky.

The owner of a plantation said to a favorite darkey: "Mose, they've discovered the North Pole."  
"Deed!" exclaimed the old negro. "Where at?"—Everybody's Magazine.

LOST—A bundle containing a tablecloth was lost on the Hill or on Hidden road on March 15. The finder will receive reward by returning the same to Phillips Inn.

## BORDEN MILLS MAKE ADVANCE

Increase of Ten Percent in Seven Fall River Plants

### OPERATIVES ASKED FIFTEEN

#### Expressed Dissatisfaction With Recent

Raise of Five Percent—Other Manufacturers Expected to Follow  
Lead of Borden—Strikes For Higher Wages in Progress in Many Textile Centres of New England

Boston, March 21.—Another increase in the wages of textile employees, increasing the amount to 10 percent, is looked for in many quarters as a result of the action taken yesterday at the seven cotton mills of the Fall River Iron Works company, controlled by M. C. D. Borden of New York.

Notices were posted in these mills, by direction of Mr. Borden, announcing that on March 25 a wage advance of 10 percent will become operative. Five thousand employees are affected.

The Borden mill, in connection with other textile mills throughout New England, recently granted a 5 percent increase in wages, but this was not satisfactory to the operatives and after discussing the matter at length the Fall River Textile Council made a demand for 15 percent.

The Cotton Manufacturing association of that city, of which Borden is not a member, refused to make any further overtures, declaring more than a 5 percent increase impossible under present conditions. Superintendent Evans of the Borden mills, however, conferred with the owner and late yesterday made the offer of an additional 5 percent.

In many cities the operatives are far from satisfied with the 5 percent generally offered and, with the action of the Iron Works mills to encourage them, it is believed probable that there will be a general demand for an additional 5 percent or more.

On at least one previous occasion, a similar condition of affairs existed in Fall River and the other manufacturers of the city were quick to follow the lead of Borden when he doubled the general wage advance.

An uneasiness still pervades the textile centres of New England, in spite of the 5 percent advance which has been offered on every hand. Strikes are already on at Barre, West Warren, Newton, North Adams, Oxford and Gilbertville. Tomorrow the loomfixers of the Lancaster mills at Clinton will not report for work, and before the end of the week trouble is looked for at Ware and some other points.

Conditions are by no means settled at New Bedford, and much depends upon the attitude of the manufacturers and their willingness to follow the lead which may be set by the Fall River operators.

At Lawrence the Industrial Workers of the World claim to have 10,000 still out on strike against half a dozen mills which have not made satisfactory terms. That those who have returned are not all firmly established at their work was shown yesterday when 750 weavers employed in the Wood mill twice walked out because of fancied grievances.

The organized mill workers of Rhode Island, particularly about Pawtucket, also have expressed dissatisfaction at the offer of 5 percent advance. Similar conditions exist at many other points in New England.

Raises of 5 percent or better were announced yesterday in the Lancaster mills, Clinton, 1200 hands; Williams-town Manufacturing company, Williams-town; North Pownal Manufacturing company, North Pownal, Vt., 400 hands; Hoosac Worsted company, North Adams; Davis & Furber Machine company, North Andover, 800 hands.

#### HAS SEVEN HUSBANDS

Charge Against Woman Who Has Not Yet Been Suited

Philadelphia, March 21.—Mrs. Jennie Schwoyer, 29 years old, and good looking, the wife of an ice man, is in jail in Allentown on a charge that she has married seven men and has not been divorced from any of them. She declares she intends eventually to find a real husband if she has to marry six more.

Her first husband, Frank Miller, left her a widow at 21. Previous to her becoming the wife of her present spouse, she married John Gehris of this city, but left him after a year. Her other husbands she declares to be men of no account and not worth mentioning.

#### Burial of the Maine

Havana, March 17.—The hulk of the battleship Maine was sent to its last resting place at the bottom of the sea three miles off the Cuban coast today. Rose from the deck dotted the waters as it sunk, taps were sounded and the cruiser North Carolina pointed her prow northward to bring home the last of the bodies of the men who met death when the Maine was blown up in Havana harbor on the night of Feb. 15, 1898.

### MOORE TAKES COURT JOB

Was Once Worth Millions and a Power in New York Politics

New York, March 21.—Hugh H. Moore, who was worth more than \$5,000,000 in the early eighties, was yesterday appointed clerk of the Eighth district municipal court at a salary of \$3000 a year.

He was formerly a power in politics. He served in the state senate in 1874 and 1875 was the head of the New York county Democracy and led the fight on behalf of Samuel J. Tilden against Tammany in the campaign of 1878. When Croker was in control he lost his fortune.

#### Prayers Were Answered

Cleveland, March 21.—Vincent Schlesinger, 78, died here ten minutes after the death of his wife, Elizabeth, 60. The couple had prayed that they might die together.

#### No Special Session in Illinois

Chicago, March 21.—Governor Dineen says he will not call a special session of the legislature to enact a preferential primary law.

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Essex, ss.

#### PROBATE COURT

To the next of kin, and all other persons interested in Charlotte Eaton of Andover, in said County of Essex, minor. WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court, by Daniel B. Ruggles of Boston in the County of Suffolk praying for the appointment of himself, or some other suitable person, as guardian of said minor:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the fifteenth day of April A.D. 1912, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why a guardian should not be appointed as aforesaid.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give notice thereof, to the next of kin of said minor, and others interested, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, or by delivering a copy thereof to the said next of kin and others interested at least seven days before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

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